

MRS. M'REA TRIAL IS ON

Louisiana Woman Charged With Slaying Youth for an Alleged Insult Draws Crowd.

Opelousas, La., Oct. 24.—Through streets lined with curious crowds, Mrs. J. P. McRea, one of the best known women of this city, rode from the county jail to the courtroom, where she was to be placed on trial for killing Allan Garland, a youth who, she says, insulted her.

In her arms Mrs. McRea carried a portion of the flowers with which her townspeople had filled her cell. Into the crowded courtroom, from which all women and children had been barred by order of the judge.

The names of 100 talesmen were read by the bailiff and the selection of the jurors commenced. The prosecution will seek to show jealousy was the motive for the killing.

PURITY CONGRESS MEETS

Social Reformers of United States and Canada Gather Under Auspices of Am. Federation.

Columbus, O., Oct. 24.—The sixth International Purity congress, under the auspices of the American Purity federation, was opened informally here with the arrival of numerous delegates and the meeting of committees preliminary to the beginning of the general sessions. The congress will continue in session through the greater part of the week. Every phase of moral and social questions will be presented and discussed, including the white slave traffic, law enforcement, needed legislation, suppression of vice and rescue homes and methods.

LORIMER TO LOSE PLACE

Proxy to Serve on Republican National Committee to Be Withdrawn by Lowden.

Chicago, Oct. 24.—Senator William Lorimer is to be denied service upon the Republican national committee. It has developed that, following conferences in which Senator Cullom and other Republican leaders participated, former Congressman Frank O. Lowden as withdrawn, or will withdraw this proxy he gave Lorimer. Lowden himself will represent the state of Illinois upon the committee when it assembles in Washington six weeks hence.

Frost Damages Cotton Belt

Dallas, Tex., Oct. 24.—Reports from a score of points in the Texas and Oklahoma cotton belt indicate that a wide area in both states has been visited by killing frosts which undoubtedly will damage late cotton as well as the early crop.

200 Stamboul Homes Burned

Constantinople, Oct. 24.—Fire in Stamboul destroyed more than 200 houses and a mosque.

FRED WEIMER DEAD.

Fred Weimer, age about 40 years, died in this city Saturday after a lingering illness of consumption. For some time he had been living in a tent on the Robertson hill, near the Mac Adams home in the hope of improving his condition.

Mr. Weimer was born and reared here, but his parents preceded him to the grave years ago. Fred is survived by one brother, Frank, and one sister, Miss Anna.

He was a member of the I. O. O. F. lodge and was buried at the city cemetery with lodge ceremonies. Deceased was a good man.

A tent show in West Hickman, known as the Lewis Stock Co., we are informed, will winter here, storing their show equipment in Jones building formerly occupied by the Gem. If the show is good, we have failed to hear anyone say so, although they have been showing here all week. They are not in a class with W. I. Swain, that's a cinch.

Policeman Hackett and Sheriff Johnson arrested Jim Canthorn, a negro, on charge of bootlegging. They found seven quarts of booze in his home and he had four with him down at Mengel. Judge Naylor will attend to his case later.

Mrs. Murtle Conis, of Memphis, is visiting Miss Hattie Carpenter and attending the bedside of her niece, Miss Docia Carpenter, who has been very low for several weeks.

A well known spoke factory firm is seriously considering putting a spoke factory in Hickman. We need a commercial club now to get in behind this proposition.

We understand a white man, Harry Moss, was caught by local officers last night and 20 pints of fire water were found in his suit case.

Mrs. Fope Herring and daughter, Mrs. Will Hubbard, returned to Union City Tuesday afternoon after a visit to Mrs. T. T. Swayne.

Roy Clark was in town Monday.

Your Money Back if Not Satisfied

Ellison Bros.

Offer you, in their meat shop, the best equipped in Hickman, the very best

Fresh Meats

that money can buy. We could buy cheaper meats but we count nothing as too good for our customers.

Fresh Beef

We buy nothing but young steers and heifers. They cost us more than cows, but they make far better beef. We always get them fresh killed.

Young Lambs

Remember there is a big difference between lambs and mutton. Mutton is old sheep. We buy nothing but the choicest of young lambs.

Pork

And there is a big difference also in pork. We buy only young, tender pigs, no big hogs, and there's a vast difference in the eating.

In addition to beef, pork and lamb, we have pure pork sausage, country style, liver, brains, pigs feet, liver sausage, link sausage, wieners, bologna, boiled hams, dried beef hams, breakfast bacon, etc.

As we have now added another delivery wagon, making four delivery wagons, we are better prepared than ever to serve you promptly. We solicit a trial.

Sealshipt Oysters

We get them fresh, sealshipt right direct from the oyster beds, and they certainly are delicious.

Phone us, either phone

Ellison Bros.

NAYLOR—HARRIS NUPTIALS.

Popular Young People Married Tuesday Evening.

One of the prettiest weddings ever witnessed here was seen at the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening at 8:30, when Miss Maymie Naylor became the wife of Oce Harris, Rev. W. G. Stockton officiating. On this occasion the church was filled to overflowing by the many friends of the contracting parties.

The color scheme of the wedding was pink and white, and the church was decorated profusely with pink carnations, pink chrysanthemums and potted plants, with a huge white bell in the center and an arch over each aisle leading to the altar with the letter "N" over one and "H" over the other. Little Misses Violet Naylor and Mary Stone were flower girls, and little Miss Dorothy Naylor and Master Joe Roper represented two little cupids. The wedding march was played by Mrs. C. F. Baltzer and Mr. J. H. Millet, and Mrs. A. E. Kennedy sang two solos in keeping with the occasion—"I Love Thee" and "I Love You Truly."

Ushers were Messrs. A. E. Kennedy and Edward Prather. Guy Infe was best man, and W. C. Reed and A. E. Owen attendants. Mrs. Lou Naylor was Matron of Honor, Miss Ethel Naylor Maid of Honor, and Misses Maggie Cochrane and Erlene Reed, of Fulton, bridesmaids.

The bride wore a handsome lace gown made over white satin, with long panel train, and long veil with Juliet cap, which was caught up with ribbons of the valley, and carried a shower bouquet of brides roses and lilies of the valley. The mignon wore white satin trimmed with pearl trimmings and carried white chrysanthemums; the maid of honor wore a lovely light blue chiffon dress handsomely handpainted. In white chrysanthemums, with underdress of light blue satin, and carried white, chrysanthemums. The bridesmaids wore pink chiffon made over pink satin and carried pink carnations. The groom wore conventional black—over a palpitating heart.

The bride is a daughter of Judge and Mrs. W. A. Naylor—one of the most highly respected families in the state. A sweeter and more lovable young lady never lived. She is not only a noble girl, but one of the most charming and accomplished young ladies of Hickman, and for several

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years has been a social favorite. Her many beautiful traits of character have won for her the admiration of a large circle of friends, who are now in wishing her joy and happiness in the step she has taken.

Mr. Harris is a son of J. R. Harris, of Paris, Tenn., but has resided in Hickman for the past five years. He is one of the hustling proprietors of Hickman Steam Laundry, one of our recent but flourishing business enterprises. We fully intended to "show-er down" on Oce at this particular time—having learned a good deal about him during our acquaintance—but just at this moment we have learned that some "hair-pin", with a large chain and locked several cowbells on his suit case as the train pulled out of town and we shall not add further provocation. As we started to say, we've learned a lot of

things on Oce—but they're all good. Certainly no young man ever went among arrangers and made friends faster. He is accommodating, pleasant, honest, industrious and—two words to say handsome—has no bad habits. We verily believe he will make a good husband for a girl that will surely make him a good wife.

The couple were recipients of many handsome presents, which were viewed by the friends during a reception held at the home of the bride after the wedding.

At 10:30 Mr. and Mrs. Harris left for a wedding trip through the South, ultimately arriving at New Orleans, at which place they will catch the Str. Quincey and return to Hickman, where they will make their home.

Congratulations? Sure; a shower of them. May you both live long and happily is the Courier's sincere wish.

Six Councilmen are to be elected on Nov. 7th. There are only six candidates on the petition filed a few days ago as follows: It. M. Isler, It. L. Bradley and C. G. Schlenker, Old Hickman; C. P. Shumate and O. B. Powell, West Hickman; J. T. Dillon, East Hickman. We could not pick six better men to represent us, and Mayor Dillon, the old reliable, has so more years to serve, which will make a good strong council.

HOGWALLOW HAPPENINGS.

Lake Mathewala shot a fine owl in the Gladet creek bottoms a few days ago, but just as the gun went off the owl closed its eyes and squatted down low, allowing the shot to go over its head. Lake, not to be out done, says he then aimed low, but the wise bird this time raised up a little and allowed the shot to pass under it.

The red mule belonging to Sim Flinders has fattened up so much that the stable will have to be enlarged.

Ellick Hellwanger is making rapid strides in his attempt to win the hand of Miss Gondola Henatep, as he reports that he moved his chair two feet nearer to her on last Sunday night. Love laughs at blacksmiths.

The blind man from the Calf Hills community has joined the Excelsior Fiddling Band and was sworn in on Saturday night. Hereafter, when the band goes to serenade a dangerous person the blind man will be made to lead the way.

Elk Smith says the greatest disappointment he knows of is to pick an owl.

Christopher Columbus has been made famous this week as the Wild Onion school house, by Prof. Sap Spradlen, who has delivered several talks in his favor to the scholars. Nothing much is known of Columbus except what can be gained from his stories and other books.

The Old Miner who lives near the persimmon tree on Musket Ridge, is preparing to dig up his money tomorrow and count it. He believes it will be safer to do this while everybody is at church.

Tobe Moseley has set a lot of milk traps on Gander creek, and this winter expects to supply the postmaster with ear muffs.

Doek Hocks, our enterprising blacksmith, went to the postoffice the other day without first washing his hands and accidentally canceled several stamps the postmaster had on file.

Ellick Hellwanger has lowered his eye-brows in anticipation of a fight he expects to have the next time he meets Sidney Hocks in a narrow place in the road. The Deputy Constable will probably stay at home until it

Heard On the Streets

Show at the Lyric all next week.

H. C. Helm is in Louisville on business.

Mrs. Percy Jones was in Union City Tuesday.

Mrs. E. H. Prather has been on sick list.

Two months from yesterday Christmas Day.

Mr. Sutton, of the L. & N., was in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Burrus Braasfield has been quite ill for several days.

Mrs. Arthur Shaw, of State Lane, was here Monday shopping.

Mrs. James Maddox, of State Lane, was here Tuesday shopping.

New and cheapest line of China in the city.—Hickman Hdw. Co.

Ell Powell, of Union City, was here this week on business.

Cypress Shingles, \$1.25 a thousand at mill.—C. M. Yates Shingle Co.

Capt. Trilla is on the Leo steamers for a few days piloting.

Miss Jessie Wall, of Cayce, attended the Naylor-Harris wedding Tuesday.

Atkins Cole is here in the interior of a new lodge—the Southern Woodmen.

Tom Hart, of Paucah, visited his father, W. R. Hart and family, last week.

T. T. Swayne and R. M. Jaler were in Tiptonville a few days the first of the week.

Try our washed cooking coal. Uniform size lumps; no dust and dirt. A. A. Faria.

J. Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Hubbard returned to Arlington, Ky., Saturday their runabout.

Miss Bettie Louise Gartin, of Union City, has been visiting her father since Saturday.

Your state, county and school tax is now due and payable.—Goulder Johnson, Sheriff.

WANTED TO EXCHANGE: A pair of horses for a pair of small delivery mules.—Ellison Bros.

Mrs. H. P. Benley entertained formally two tables at Bridge Men's evening. A salad course was served.

Mrs. H. E. Prather and L. P. Prather attended the West Kentucky Veterinary Association meeting at Paducah this week.

Miss Jessie Lee Reid, of Fulton, attended the Naylor-Harris nuptials this week, visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Naylor.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Bondurant and friends motored to Union City, days last week where they spent the day with friends.

Is over, as he is a law-abiding citizen and hates to see anybody break the law.

Jefferson Potlocks, who has been deaf in both ears since the saw-mill boiler blew up while he was repairing the whistle, is now getting better and says he can plainly hear thunder standing up close to it.

Miss Fruzze Allsop looked pleasant at Atlas Peak at church last Sunday, but it is believed that her smile was only skin deep.

Unless Congress appropriates a little more money the Hogwallow Postmaster thinks he will have to wear his old coonskin cap again this winter.

The Tickville Tidings reports that during the electrical storm in the vicinity last week several fields of corn were shocked.

Poke Bazley's patch of sweet potatoes was destroyed by potato beet last night and nothing remains in the hills. It comes as a complete surprise to Poke and he was asleep with his feet out the window when it happened and remembers dreaming of the occurrence while it was happening, but didn't get up. He remembers also of seeing bugs in the vicinity of his patch late yesterday evening, but thought nothing strange of it. The bugs, upon leaving the patch, went in an easterly direction and Poke traced them to the Gander creek bridge, where he lost all trail and turned back. They are believed to be headed towards Musket Ridge and that Smith has loaded his gun heavily with buckshot and will guard his patch, next to the moonshine still in Kentuckian.



The Whale

Educational, interesting, attractive. On exhibition on board Steamer OLGA. Elevator landing at rear of Baltzer & Dodds store.

TODAY ONLY

Open to visitors from 12 noon to 9 p. m. Exceptionally interesting to children. Come and bring them.

Admission 25c

Children 10c

School children (20 and upwards, accompanied by their teacher), 5c each. Lecturer in attendance.

ROUTE SIX.

... weather for cotton pick-
... Jones is suffering with
... case of neuralgia.
... Jones, of Brownsville,
... her son, Mr. Will Jones.
... McInness, who has been
... with typhoid fever, is bet-
... Montgomery has been
... Little Plant, of East
... past week.
... Pollock has placed her
... school at Hickman. We
... great success.
... Craig and family visited
... Mrs. Clara Hassen-
... Missouri, Sunday.
... Boyner, the hustling por-
... has been delivering some
... which are very good.
... Mrs. Alfred Willis lost
... child of erysipelas last
... sympathize with them in
... of trouble.
... Coombs has returned
... where he has been
... goods. He has a nice line
... and groceries.
... Shaw and Little son,
... returned from Dresden,
... they have been visit-

REVIVAL CLOSER TUESDAY.

The meeting closed Tuesday morn-
ing. Dr. J. B. Weber's preaching was
plain, practical, instructive and en-
tertaining. It was enjoyed by all
who heard him. The singing, led by
the choir, with friends helping, was
good, and it was enjoyed. Much
good was accomplished by the meet-
ing and we are much gratified. We
greatly appreciate the cooperation
of ministers and friends of other de-
nominations and we rejoice that they
were benefitted also. We hope that
our christian people will see that
their benefits will abide, that all will
be true and loyal to the cause of
their Lord and will be steady, faith-
ful and efficient members of the
churches to which they may belong.
All of our usual services may be
expected next Sunday. We purpose
giving opportunity to any who might
wish to join the church. A general
invitation is extended.
We purpose preaching Friday even-
ing at 7:30 o'clock at East Hickman
Chapel, then Sunday at 3 p. m. will
be their regular Sunday School—G.
W. Wilson.
Margaret Flour, none better.—Bot-
terworth & Prather.

HAS FORTUNE IN COTTON.

S. L. Dodds Experimenting
With Different Seed.
A visit to S. L. Dodds' office a few
days ago, getting cotton news and
in answer to our question "How is
the cotton situation?" he turned to
a file, and produced his account sales
of cotton that he had been getting
during the past week. They ranged
from 10 1/2 to 18c in Memphis. He
explained that the 10 1/2 cent cotton
was our ordinary short cotton, that
was well picked (cotton picked infer-
ior would still bring a less price.)
In the 17 and 18 cent cotton he has
a special cotton that he procured last
year at a very high price—a little
over \$100 per ton for the seed. How-
ever, he is reaping his profits from
this seed as it is turning out about
2000 to 2400 pounds of seed cotton
per acre or 600 to 650 pounds of lint
cotton, which is netting him, to say
nothing about what he could get for
the seed, from \$30 to \$50 per acre in
addition to the price of ordinary cot-
ton.
This is not termed a long staple
cotton but is large boll and very
profitable. This year it opened not
quite as early as his other special ma-

H. E. CURLIN
Everything for Men and Boys
HOUSE OF QUALITY



They will give you a
good idea of what is
to be worn this sea-
son.

These models that we
are putting in our show
cases and windows you
will see later on in the
large shopping districts, at
the theatre, on the train,
and everywhere you see well-dressed women.

Anticipate the time when you will need a
new suit or coat.

Buy now.

You will enjoy it so much more these first
few days. And you will have our entire stock to
select from.

We have some new models by



that we would like to have you see




SMITH & AMBERG

... friends and relatives. They re-
... fine visit.

WHALE ON EXHIBITION.

Grant Sperm Whale 78 Feet
Long at River Landing.
... the vessel Olga, moored at
... of Hutzler & Dodds store,
... seen the 8th wonder of the
... mounted sperm whale meas-
... feet in length.
... exhibit is particularly inter-
... from an educational standpoint,
... the only sperm whale ever put
... exhibition.
... are some facts about this sea-
... animal.
... estimated age 1500 years.
... weight of skull bone 6,000 pounds.
... is thought to be the largest
... piece of bone in existence.
... bones 18 feet long; weight 1 1/2
... pounds.
... cavity in head contained 25 bar-
... of sperm oil.
... diameter of head, 16 feet.
... tail 17 feet across.
... original weight 200,000 pounds.
... weight of heart 1500 pounds.
... The bones of the whale have all
... preserved and mounted. Upward
... 50 people can stand in the
... stomach at one time. A door
... is cut in one side where the crowds

enter, coming out at the mouth—Jo-
nah is a mode. The interior is elec-
trically lighted.

Today is the last day this interest-
ing sight may be seen in Hickman,
as the boat leaves late tonight.

The fan season will close next Tues-
day.

Cecil Shaw spent a few days this
week on Reelfoot Lake.

Supt. Peebles, of the N. C. & St.
L., is here today in his private car.

H. L. Curlin, of Woodland, is spend-
ing the week with his son, H. E. Cur-
lin.

Ben Shaw, of Oakton, has accepted
a position with H. E. Curlin until No-
mas.

Mrs. W. H. Heath is home from
a visit with her husband at Marble
Hill, Mo.

Pres. Farmer, of the West Tennes-
see Wholesale Grocery Co., was here
last Friday with a view to establish-
ing a wholesale grocery store in this
city. This is a business that is badly
needed in Hickman. We failed to
learn whether Mr. Farmer took any
definite action in regard to the propo-
sition.

turing cotton, but he commenced pick-
ing this on the 4th of September, just
fourteen days later than his other
cotton, however, he thinks that next
season after this seed has acclimated
that it will be practically as early as
his other early varieties. Mr. Dodds
has made a specialty of early maturing
cotton for several years and is ex-
perimenting with all the different
early varieties that he can hear of,
with a view of getting early maturing
cotton, but at the same time one
that will yield well and bring a good
price on the markets. This he knows
he has in his "Dodds Kentucky Pro-
lific." He was the first to have cot-
ton on the Memphis market this year,
having gained three bales on the 23rd
of August, but he feels that if his
new high price cotton that none has
sold for less than 17 1/2c this year
will open a little earlier that he has
a fortune in raising cotton for the
seed alone.

The whole South is infested with
the boll weevil, especially in the ter-
ritory where the long staple cotton
has been raised so successfully, and
while this is not what is termed a
long staple cotton, still it is long
enough to bring a very fancy price
and at the same time yields as much
as the ordinary short cotton. He
only had about 30 acres of this cot-
ton this year, but has saved every

seed and will plant most of his plan-
tation in this cotton another year.
He has none of the seed for sale but
expects to let a few of our most re-
liable planters have some of the
seed another year and will make a
contract with them that they are to
sell him back the cotton next year,
but he will agree to give them 50c
per hundred pounds seed cotton above
whatever the market price is being
paid for the ordinary cotton that is
sold here, or in other words if the
cotton yields as well as it did this
year, by planting this seed the farm-
er will derive from \$7.50 to \$12 per
acre on his cotton above what he
would by planting and selling the ordi-
nary kind.

Along the line of planting seed Mr.
Dodds gave us a few pointers which
would be valuable to every man who
is planting cotton. He claims that
the seed is the most important part
about starting a cotton crop and we
believe he is correct. He says plant-
ing seed should be procured from the
very first cotton that opens, not
waiting until the small bolls in the
top of the cotton is open, many of
them being frost bitten and not ma-
tured, thereby getting a seed from
the well matured and very earliest
cotton. He says he has known peo-
ple at the time he was operating the
gins to bring in cotton that had been
picked after the freezes or old frost

bitten cotton, and still go plant this
seed, yet if this same farmer who
has been used to planting corn all
of his life was told to go to his crib
and pick out seed corn he would go
and pick out the very best matured
and earliest corn he could get, and
if he should see some one who was
planting corn that had signs of being
frost bitten and mixed with several
different varieties, he would think
this fellow was crazy, still he will
do even worse in planting cotton and
then expect to get good results from
this mixed cotton. A cotton planter
who gets his stock of seed 'n this
way, cannot expect any better results
than a man who would expect to de-
velop Poland China Hogs from Razor
Back Scrubs.

We advise all planters to obtain
their seed RIGHT NOW and get them
from cotton that you know, first, is
yielding well in the field; second,
that is yielding well at the gin; and
third, that you know is bringing a
good price on the markets.

Mrs. J. M. Reid is visiting friends
in Paducah.

WEATHER: Fair today and cooler
Friday fair and slightly warmer.

Mrs. Howers and grandson, Master
Joe Amberg, returned Tuesday from
a three weeks' visit in Paducah, Ark.

SYCAMORE CHAPEL.

Little Morrow is improving.
Pretty cool picking cotton these
mornings.
Mrs. Josie Pointer is on the sick
list this week.
Bray Anderson took in the show
Tuesday night.
Our school at the Chapel is pro-
gressing nicely with Miss Ina Royer
as teacher.
If cotton keeps going down we had
as well stop picking and hunt rabbits
for a living.
Bro. King preached an excellent
sermon at the Chapel Sunday after-
noon. What is the matter we can't
have Sunday School?

L. H. Coombs, of Mabel, was here
a few days this week.

Mrs. C. T. Bondurant, Miss Lucile
Bondurant and Hollis Kirk motored
to Union City Wednesday.

Hugh O'Donnell, of St. Louis, who
has been here this week on business
and the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. T.
Bondurant, left Wednesday night.

Culhane's Comedians are billed to
play at the Lyric all next week. At
the opening performance Monday
night, a lady will be admitted free
with each 35c ticket. Their first
play will be "Reaping the Harvest."

Are You Ready to Save Several Dollars on Your New Fall Suit?

It is really remarkable how much tailoring excellence and style you get in a suit bought of Leibovitz, and at a great saving in price. I have just received a large line of the famous "Schwab" guaranteed all-wool suits, and am ready to meet your requirements from a large array of new Fall and Winter styles at moderate prices. Come in and try on a Schwab suit, it's my duty and pleasure to show you.

Leibovitz
MEN'S COMPLETE OUTFITTER

Where Quality Reigns Higher than Price.

Don't overlook the fact that I am showing everything new in Hats, Caps, Shirts, Underwear, Neckwear and Workstuff at prices lower than elsewhere.



When You Think of
Furniture
Think of
Montgomery

The biggest and most varied line I have ever shown is now ready for your inspection. Selling for cash only enables men to sell

For Less Money

than credit houses, and you will save by trading here. I also carry a full line of **UNDERTAKING GOODS.**

Come See the Goods

All the latest magazines at Fethé & French's.

A small wheel to be carried on the rear axle of an automobile is intended to prevent skidding.

Regular services at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Stockton, minister.

Mrs. C. D. White, after an extended visit to homefolks, has returned to her home in Memphis, Tenn.

If manufacturers are to figure the amount of tariff protection they think they ought to have, why not let the consumer pay what he thinks would be about right for his taxes?

When street lights are not burning because of defective lights, etc., the Hickman Lee & Coal Co. requests that they be notified of same. Call at office or phone No. 48. This will help to improve the service and will be appreciated by Mgr. Dillon.



SOLITE OIL
the Lamp Oil that Saves Eyes

Nothing is more important in the home than clear, steady light. Insure this by getting the oil that burns clear and clean without a flicker down to the last drop. Pennsylvania crude oil refined to perfection. Costs no more than the tank-wagon kind—saves MONEY—saves WORK—saves EYES. Your dealer has SOLITE Oil in barrels direct from our works.

Chas. C. Stoll Oil Co.
Louisville, Ky.
Refinery at Warren, Pa.
We sell the celebrated "No Carb" Auto Oil.

A Talk on Drug Store Purchases

Probably there is no class of merchandise on which you must depend so much on the integrity and business honor of a store as when buying Drug Store Goods. Few of us have the opportunity to become competent judges of the real value of the majority of the things sold in a drug store and misrepresentation easy, and alas, too frequent.

Here you buy with a comforting assurance that the goods are just what the label says. We do business on strictly business principles which will certainly appeal to you.

Helm & Ellison
"The Nyal Store."

WHY HESITATE?

An Offer That Involves No Money Risk if You Accept It.

We are so positive our remedy will completely relieve constipation, no matter how chronic it may be, that we offer to furnish it free of all cost if it fails.

Constipation is commonly caused by weakness of the nerves and muscles of the large intestine. To expect a cure you must therefore tone up and strengthen these organs and restore them to healthier activity.

We want you to try **Rexall Orderlies** on our guarantee. They are eaten like candy, and are particularly good for children. They seem to act directly on the nerves and muscles of the bowels. They apparently leave a neutral action on the other organs. They do not purge or cause other inconvenience. We will refund your money if they do not overcome chronic or habitual constipation and thus aid to relieve the myriads of associate or dependent chronic ailments. Try **Rexall Orderlies** at our risk. Three sizes, 10c., 25c., and 50c. Sold only at our store—**The Rexall Store—The Hickman Drug Co.**

Bob Whipple, the Union City life factory man, was in town Monday.

All advertisements intended for the Courier MUST be in not later than noon, Wednesday. Our patrons will not be governed themselves accordingly.

FOR SALE: Good gentle family horse, not afraid of autos or trains. 8 years old, 16 hands high, weighs 1240—S. A. Wade, Union City, N. J. Telephone 581. 2p.

What is believed to be a world's record in transforming standing grain into bread was established by W. S. Gable, a farmer living near Bellot, Kas. Just thirty minutes elapsed between the time when the wheat was cut, and when Mr. Gable took the first bite of a biscuit which has been made from it. As soon as the grain was rushed a mile and a half to a mill and made into flour, and then taken to a baker, who made the biscuit. The previous record is said to be one hour.

DAIRY COW VERSUS CHILD.

Great Contrast Between the Care and Thought Bestowed Upon Each Near Lexington—Palace For Jerseys, School "Out at the Elbow."

I had not had time to get my luggage together and draw a long breath after leaving the train at Lexington before I was asked:

"Ever been out to Haggin's?"

"No," I answered, rather breathlessly and amazed. Then I gathered myself together and answered at a venture, "Oh, you mean the place outside of Lexington where Henry Clay was born, don't you?"

"Heaven's no! It's the biggest and finest thing in the way of a dairy farm in the world. You know it's owned by Mr. Haggin of New York city."

I went on to the great dairy farm on the trackage east just leaving



FOR THE JERSEY COWS.

ton's beautiful new Country club and splendid residences, surrounded by magnificent old forest trees.

Too much cannot be said or written about this wonderful dairy farm of Mr. Haggin's. The creamery, where the milk is cooled, bottled and double sealed for delivery in Lexington, is an artistic building of rough stone. The huge dairy barn is of concrete, brick and tile, which gives it the appearance of some splendid county institution. Men in immaculate white uniforms were moving about the barn getting ready to milk the 425 registered Jersey cows that would soon be brought in from the hundreds of acres of blue grass over which they roam. Glancing at the doors and windows, I saw that they were covered with screening to keep out the flies, while water pipes and hose were everywhere to insure absolute cleanliness. I was very much impressed with the beauty, comfort and magnitude of everything I saw, so as I left the barn I asked:

"Where do you get this tremendous supply of water? I saw hose and piping everywhere and a huge tower by the creamery."

"We have a complete pumping plant across country on the far edge of the farm at Russell's curve."

I drove to Russell's curve and found a perfect pumping outfit, even to a double filter that the water might be as pure as the milk. Suddenly I remembered that I had not come to Lexington to admire the beauty of the wide fields, the grand old



FOR THE CHILDREN.

homes or Mr. Haggin's great dairy farm, but to look carefully at the schoolhouses. I turned to the man in charge of the engines and pumps and asked the distance to the nearest schoolhouse. It was not an eighth of a mile away from the pumping station and was a decided contrast architecturally. Although I had seen walks, concrete walks, in every direction about the Haggin barn, there was no semblance of a walk from the front gate to the badly patched wooden steps that were intended to lead the children along the primrose path of knowledge. Everything was "out at the elbow."

The contrast between the care and thought bestowed upon a dairy cow and a child was here sharp and distinct. The dairymen could see and figure the direct and immediate return in hard dollars and cents when his cows are luxuriously treated, but he could not or would not try to see into the future of the children and measure the return from an investment in schools.

The citizenship of a community is as good or as bad as its schools make it.

Remember

That every added subscriber helps to make this paper better for everybody



Perfection Boys' Clothes.

Boys Suits and Overcoats

The especial merit of "Perfection and Frat" clothing for boys and children is in their being made by tailors and that prices are no higher than asked for ordinary factory-made suits.

An unusually attractive line of knickerbocker suits at \$2.50 to \$10.00.

Boys Overcoats of every stylish shade and material made with improved convertible collar at all prices from \$2.50 to \$15.00.

"TESS and TED"
Shoes for Boys

Smith & Amberg

"CADET"
Hosiery for Boys

ENDORSED BY O'REAR
Big Raise in Taxes
Saddled on Farmers.

One of the most flagrant violations of campaign pledges was the raid upon the tax-payers organized by Governor Wilson to cover up his extravagance, and carried into effect under his order by the Board of Equalization. Having wasted more than one quarter of a million dollars of the people's money in foolishly exploiting the state militia, he paid the piper by increasing the taxable value of farm lands in two years, \$92,029,431.00. The burden, as usual, fell upon the farmers, the very people to whom Judge O'Rear is now appealing for help, although Governor Wilson's administration, which was responsible for this increase, meets with Judge O'Rear's hearty commendation.

Governor McCreary asked Judge O'Rear the direct question, if he approve this raise of nearly one hundred million dollars on the farm lands of the state, and it must be said to Judge O'Rear's credit, that he was frank enough to admit that he DID approve of it. He said that his political advisers had told him that it would be a dangerous thing to endorse, but that he thought that it was lawful, and that he believed the Republican officials acted honestly under their oath of office.

It logically follows that if Judge O'Rear is elected Governor, and runs the state in debt, as all his Republican predecessors have done, he will follow Governor Wilson's method of emptying the pockets of the farmers, because his Board of Equalization has the authority under the law to put any burden on them that is necessary to support the extravagances of the administration.

Kicked by a Mad Horse.

Samuel Birch, of Hometown, Wis., had a most narrow escape from losing his leg, as no doctor could heal the frightful sore that developed, but at last Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it completely. Its greatest healer of ulcers, burns, boils, eczema, scalds, cuts, corns, old-sores, bruises and piles on earth. Try it 25c at Helm & Ellison.

All the leading magazines at Fethé & French's.

Two hundred "progressive Republicans" in their first national conference held Monday in Chicago endorsed Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin, for president. Indorsement came in the shape of buttons in part framed by the Secretary of the Interior, James Garfield, who, it was held by delegates, expressed the views ofodore Roosevelt.

Saturday Night—The Lyric.

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Unquestioned durability and exquisite design—the highest ideals in plated ware—are assured in spoons, forks, and fancy serving pieces bearing the renowned trade mark

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There are various makes of silverplated tableware which are claimed to be "just as good," but, like all imitations, they lack the beauty and wearing quality identified with the original and genuine "1847 ROGERS BROS." ware popularly known as "Silver Plated that Wears."

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THE HICKMAN COURIER.

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HICKMAN, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1911

Number 18

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Hickman and the Electric R.R.

New Electric Railway System Would Important Bearing on the Future Commercial Interests of Our City. Links Together Many West Kentucky Towns. Hickman Will Naturally be Most Important Terminal of Gigantic Interstate System.

Advantages.

Every citizen of Hickman should be interested in any project that will make our town bigger and better, and therefore should take more than passing interest in promoting the new electric railroad which is planned to terminate here.

Its building into Hickman means more than merely having the advantages afforded by another road—it

will add weight to the most gigantic proposition that has ever developed in the Mississippi Valley—that of making Hickman the head of the deep waterways. For the benefit of those who have paid little attention to this subject, we will briefly state that the Panama canal, which is to throw the Atlantic and Pacific oceans together so far as international commerce is concerned, will be opened in less than 20 months, and Missis-

sippi river traffic will be revolutionized thereby. Already the great steamship companies are making plans to utilize the river and discharge their cargoes as far inland as the inland waterway will permit. As the Mississippi Valley consumes a large percent of all imports and furnishes material likewise for export, it naturally follows that the ocean steamships will come up the river as far as possible, and that point where they stop will

be known as the head of the deep waterways. Hickman is logically that point. On this account, every artery of commerce, both water and rail, that we possess will add weight and attractiveness to the selection of this important terminal.

While other cities can only hope for the benefits that accrue from the new road, we will be benefited in double measure.

Having a greater interest than the other towns on the proposed line, we should get in behind the move with energy—certainly equal to the less fortunate cities. This matter will come up for our consideration in a very short time, and its importance and bearing on the future growth and prosperity of Hickman should prompt us to get busy. We cannot afford to pass it up—and certainly no one would think of doing it who has property interest here. Union City and many other towns have already taken action in this matter, putting up their pro rata of survey costs, etc.

We give below a prospectus or outline of the company's plans.

Organization.

The Kentucky Southwestern Electric Railway, Light and Power Company, Incorporated, is a Delaware corporation registered in Kentucky. Its present capital stock is \$1,750,000 divided into 1,000,000 worth of common stock, having a par value of ten dollars per share and \$750,000.00 worth of 7 per cent preferred stock, having a par value of ten dollars per share. When the necessary developments in the need for more capital for constructing and operating this company's proposed lines, this capital will be increased and when a tangible equity is produced, bonds will also be issued to complete the financing of the project. There is no promotion stock, all of this stock being sold for cash, and every stockholder is in this organization on the same basis.

Officers

The officers of the Kentucky Southwestern Electric Railway, Light and Power Company are:

H. C. Rhodes, President of the Rhodes-Burford Furniture Company of Paducah, President.

E. F. Wheaton, Vice President of the Henderson Interurban Company, Henderson, Ky., and first vice president of the American Traction and Power Company, Indianapolis, Vice President and General Manager.

Treasurer, Hon. R. H. Scott, Paducah, Ky.

Secretary, John D. Smith, Paducah, Ky.

Directors, H. C. Rhodes, E. F. Wheaton, R. H. Scott, Harry W. Davis, Charles N. Thompson and L. Rubel.

Depository, The Mechanics Trust and Savings Bank, Paducah, Ky.

Route

The standard gauge and electric railway which this company is engaged in building, will commence at Uniontown, Ky., having its northern terminal there, and will run through Paducah, Ky., to Hickman, Ky., at the head of deep water navigation on the Mississippi river. It is expected to form a traffic arrangement with the Henderson Interurban Co., which has its western terminal at Uniontown, running thence to Owensboro, through Henderson.

Divisions.

The system of The Kentucky Southwestern Company is divided into seven divisions:

Division No. 1. Is the Marion division, 38 miles in length and embracing the towns of Uniontown, Harding, Grove Center, DeKoven, Sturgis, Sullivan, Rodney, Mattoon, Repton and Marion.

Division No. 2. Is the Paducah division, 36 miles in length commencing at Marion and running through Salem, Pinkneyville, Tiline, Smithland and Ledbetter, to Paducah.

Division No. 3. The Wickliffe division, commencing at Paducah and runs through Grahamville, Rossington, Maxon Hills, Ragland, Bandana, La-Center, Barlow, to Wickliffe, 35 miles.

Division No. 4. The Clinton division, commencing at Wickliffe and runs through Blandville, Bardwell, Milburn, Arlington, Columbus, to Clinton, 25 miles.

Division No. 5. The Hickman division, commencing at Clinton and

runs from Stubbs, Moscow and Cayce, to Hickman, 17 miles.

Division No. 6. Commencing at Paducah and runs through Krebs, Flor-Bloom and Hoser, to Mayfield, 28 miles.

Division No. 7. The Murray division, commencing at Mayfield and runs through Fulton Creek, Farmington, Cold Water, Stella and Penny, to Murray, 24 miles.

Financing.

The American Traction and Power Company of Indianapolis, a responsible and well rated concern, has offered to take over the capital stock and build the road, providing all the money necessary, provided that the people living along the proposed route shall subscribe to sufficient stock to pay for the cost of a commercial report, and location survey and the securing of rights of way, franchises, and terminal facilities. It has been estimated that the entire cost of such work will run between \$175 and \$200 per mile. In order to raise this amount in the local territory, the company has placed on sale sufficient number of shares of its capital stock, at ten dollars per share to pay the cost of this preliminary work. When this is done, we have an agreement with the American Traction and Power Company to purchase the balance of our stock, and provide the money for the complete construction and equipment of the road, as may be specified in this commercial report. Instead of asking for bonuses and donations it has been determined to raise this amount of money through stock subscription and the stock which is offered to local people, is the same stock that will be purchased by the American Traction & Power Company, and will participate in the earnings of the company and its dividends on the same basis, in proportion to the amount held.

New Things

In Cut Glass

We have just received a handsome line of Cut Glass, including new patterns never before shown in Hickman, and by all odds the prettiest and richest cutting we've ever shown.

The prices, however, are no higher than charged for older patterns.

You are cordially invited to call and see this line, whether you care to purchase or not.

BROOKS

The Jeweler

Next door to Montgomery's

Directors and Board.

In addition to the officers and directors listed above, every community is expected to elect from among its own stockholders, one director and three members of the advisory board of this company. These gentlemen by serving upon the board, are able to assure the proper handling of all funds raised from the local territories and to afford full protection to the local investors. The advisory board is for the purpose of keeping the directors and officers of the company in close touch with the needs of the territory in each division with special relation to the interests of the stockholders in each division. This makes the company one possessing a majority of local management and it is agreed that this relation shall

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Paul Revere's Ride; one of six historical pictures by Edward Penfield. You can get the six pictures, in the original colors, size 11 x 12 1/2 inches, by sending 10 cents to Hart Schaffner & Marx, Chicago.

THE news that Paul Revere brought to his his neighbors was important to them; and to the whole world.

Our news is not quite so vital as his; but it's important, just the same. You ought to be glad to know that

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clothes are here, ready to wear; that you can step into a store like this and get a suit or overcoat promptly; one that is right in every way; fit, style, tailoring.

We'll be glad to show you any day you please
Suits \$20 and up. Overcoats \$18 and up

We have other makes, but not quite so good as Hart Schaffner & Marx, but the very best values you'll find anywhere and at prices to suit every one's pocketbook. They range in price from \$5.00 to \$18.00

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Children are Entitled to Underwear Comfort and Fit as Well as Grown-Ups

They get both in Athena Underwear.

Children from ages about two to six are broad in stature in comparison with height, while those from six to sixteen are usually tall and thin.

These facts have heretofore been overlooked in designing children's underwear.

Athena underwear for children is sized by ages—not numbers. Ask for "age two" for a two-year-old child, "age ten" for a ten-year-old child, and so on. This system of sizing insures a proper fit, age for age, and makes it easy for the mother to get garments that fit correctly, without many trips to the store.

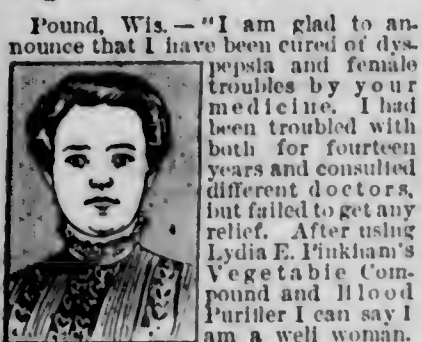
For Women

No woman can ever know real comfort in knit underwear until she becomes acquainted with the perfect shaping of Athena underwear. It fits snugly to the figure—does not wrinkle under the corset. It is exquisitely trimmed. In all fabrics, weights and shapes at the price you usually pay.

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DOCTORS FAILED TO HELP HER

Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's
Vegetable Compound



Pound, Wis.—"I am glad to announce that I have been cured of dyspepsia and female troubles by your medicine. I had been troubled with both for fourteen years and consulted different doctors, but failed to get any relief. After using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier I can say I am a well woman. I can't find words to express my thanks for the good your medicine has done me. You may publish this if you wish."

—Mrs. HERMAN SIETH, Pound, Wis.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills, and suffering women owe it to themselves to at least give this medicine a trial. Proof is abundant that it has cured thousands of others, and why should it not cure you?

If you want special advice write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for it. It is free and always helpful.

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Tom Neeley and Dollie May Campbell.
J. H. Hinthorne and Minnie W. Smith.

Frank C. Aydelott and Mary Lou Driskill.

NOTICE.

It is hereby ordered and directed that the officers of election in Fulton County, at all the voting precincts of said county, shall open a poll in their several precincts at the next regular election, to be held in this county on November 7th, 1911, for the purpose of ascertaining the will of the voters of said county, upon the question whether or not they wish Cattle generally and all species thereof, viz., Horses, Mules, Hogs, Sheep and Goats, to run at large in Fulton County, Kentucky.

W. A. Naylor, J. F. C. C. 4t

The Hon. William Jennings Bryan will spend about thirty minutes in Mayfield, on Oct. 30, between 10:50 a. m. and 11:15 a. m. He will make a speech from the rear platform of his train at the depot.

CURIOUS BITS OF HISTORY

A REMARKABLE FAMILY OF
ACTORS.

By A. W. MACY.
In 1753 John Ward, an English theatrical manager, opposed a match between his daughter and a member of his company, not wishing her to marry an actor. He finally gave consent, however, consoling himself with the thought that the young man was not much of an actor. In this he was mistaken, for the young man, whose name was Reger Kemble, not only succeeded well in his profession, but became the founder of a family that is remarkable in the annals of the English stage. Twelve children were born to the couple, of whom eight reached maturity; and every one of the eight made some effort on the stage. The eldest child, Sarah, became the renowned Mrs. Siddons. The oldest son, John Philip, was probably the greatest actor of his day, and was known as "the great Kemble." The eleventh child, Charles, was a renowned comedian, while his daughter, Fanny Kemble, was probably the best known to the public of all the family. Her sister, Adelaide, attained considerable popularity as a public singer. Her son married the daughter of General Grant.

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BRITISH NAVY DIRIGIBLE.



The new dirigible constructed for the British navy, known as the May-27, was built with much secrecy. It is 512 feet long, has a greatest diameter of 48 feet, a gas capacity of 700,000 cubic feet, and a lifting power of 21 tons. Its cars, which take the form of two boat-shaped "gondolas," and are connected by a covered gangway, will carry 22 people. Water tanks below the cars are filled to keep her on the surface, and are emptied when she is required to rise. A complete wireless installation has been fitted aboard her. She is driven by two 200-h. p. gasoline engines, and is expected to develop a speed of 40 miles an hour.

TO CHURCH IN BALLOON

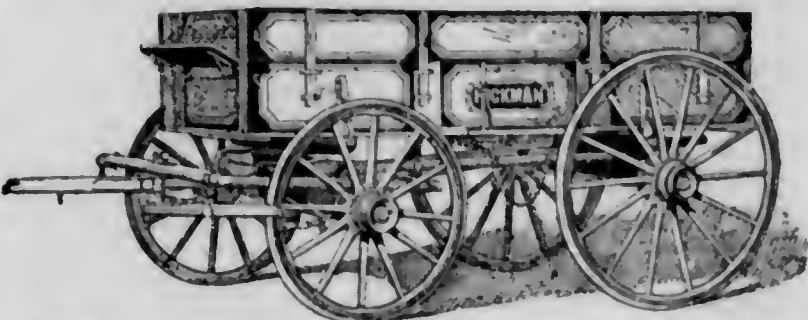
Going to church in a balloon was the novel idea of C. J. Glidden and J. J. Valkenburg at Topsfield, Mass., the other Sunday. The aeronauts made an early morning ascension from Lowell, some twenty miles distant, promising friends to land near a church and attend services. After floating before a west wind for an hour and a half, two church spires were noted below. The balloon was brought down and struck ground 300 feet from the Methodist Episcopal church of Topsfield. The aeronauts waited until the hour of services and then joined the congregation. The pastor in his address referred to the fact that two of the congregation had dropped into the service from the skies.

QUEER HOMES FOR BIRDS

The remarkable places sometimes chosen by birds for their nests are recorded from time to time. A robin builds in a watering can, an old kettle, or on the bookshelf in a library. On of the most remarkable, perhaps, is that recently given in the Emu, and apparently authentic. On November 10 last, a sheep was being shorn on the farm of A. Harger, Telanga, Australia. In its wool was found a starling's nest with one egg. A note in the Field adds that the nest of a small bird was once found in a horse's tail in Cape Colony.

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HICKMAN, KENTUCKY

J. F. Felts, one of Fulton's most prominent citizens passed away Friday at noon at the family residence in East Fulton after an illness lasting some time. He was born Dec. 30, 1872, in Weakley county, Tenn.

Giles Taylor, an inmate of the poor farm at Noblesville, Ind., for 15 years, is worth \$20,000. He will be taken away from the institution and placed in a home to be purchased and furnished with his own money.

The thing that is killing the high tariff is the ability of its beneficiaries to pay freight to Europe, and undersell "pauper labor" in its own home. This will be good to remember next month when you go to the polls.

It's a portentous sociological fact, that where you would once entertain your best girl with a trolley trip and five cent bag of peanuts, now an automobile ride and hotel supper are required.

Fringes in style at Paris. Your frayed trousers are O. K. now.

Hickman Furniture Co., headquarters for anything in furniture.

Famous Anti-Trust Shoes To Be Sold Here

Local People to Get Better Footwear at Saving
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MOST shoes cost more than they are worth because they pass through too many hands. Each handling adds expense and profit to the price of the shoes before they reach the wearer.

Modern business methods are making necessary radical reforms in the conduct of the shoe trade, which has been carried on for years under the most old-fashioned, long-range methods.

It is now possible to get better shoes for less money—and in order to give the people of this vicinity the best values obtainable, we have made arrangements with Endicott, Johnson & Co., the largest tanners and shoemakers in the world, for the sale of their Endwell shoes.

This company is the only shoe concern operating independent of the hide and leather trusts.

They have over two million dollars invested in their tanneries alone and are the only shoe concern tanning their own leather, both sole and uppers.

They carry over one million dollars' worth of shoes in stock all the time. From this enormous stock, comprising 700 different styles, we have our pick.

By making this deal with Endicott, Johnson & Co. we have cut out all the middlemen's profits. There is no hide dealer's profit—no tanner's profit—no leather broker's profit—no jobber's profit—no trust profits of any kind.

These things we know to be true, and we can truthfully state that Endwell shoes are made under the most ideal conditions to produce the best possible shoes at the lowest possible cost.

This enables us to state positively that we can now sell you shoes at \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 of the very latest styles that are easily worn, both for style and wear, from fifty cents to one dollar more a pair than other shoes offered at similar prices.

Come and see the shoes for yourself.

SULLIVAN BROTHERS

Practical Fashions

LADY'S 28-INCH DOUBLE BREAST-
ED COAT.



The double breasted coat will be much worn during the autumn and winter and the illustration shows a style fitted by long seams in front and back, leaving panels between. The neck has the new shawl and revers combination collar. Cloth, satin, serge, pongee, linen and the like are appropriate materials.

The pattern (5565) is cut in sizes 32 to 42 inches bust measure. Medium size requires 3 yards of 50 inch material.

To procure this pattern send 10 cents to "Pattern Department," of this paper. Write name and address plainly and be sure to give size and number of pattern.

NO. 5565. SIZE

NAME

TOWN

STREET AND NO.

STATE

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Garrett have announced the arrival of a beautiful eight pound girl in their home.—Union City Commercial. The parents formerly resided in Hickman.

Postal savings banks will be established at the following Kentucky postoffices October 26: Adairville, Burnside, Clinton, Dawson Springs, Eddyville, Falmouth, Hartford, Hodgenville, Horse Cave and London.

Good... Furniture



Nothing adds more to the comforts of home than good furniture, and that's the kind we sell. Our methods of doing business have been tested and approved by economical buyers.

We Want Your Business

and want you to visit our large Furniture Establishment and inspect our goods. Our prices will meet with your approval as well as the goods.

St. Louis Furnishing Co.

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Prompt Service in our

Undertaking Department

The death of Mrs. Joe Williams, of near this city last week, calls to mind the first of the Nightrider troubles in this community a few years ago, when the negro Walker family of 7 were all killed in one night and their house burned. Walker had talked threateningly to Mrs. Williams, and at a trial before Judge Naylor was fined. This caused the negro to become more impudent and continue his moans. The Nightriders took up the affair, and in a body of about seventy-five or eighty came up one night and wiped out the entire family, setting their house afire and shooting them as they came out. This extreme would not have been restored to, however, had not the negro and his son begun shooting into the party of whites, whose purpose it was to give Walker a thrashing. The next morning the Hickman Fur. Co. sent out a whole

wagon load of coffins, which was unusual sight.

With election day about two weeks away, the various party leaders as well do what they intend to do and quickly.

Saved His Mother's Life.

"Four doctors had given me up," writes Mrs. Laura Gaines, of Avon, La., "and my children and all my friends were looking for me to die when my son insisted that I use Electric Bitters. I did so, and they have done me a world of good. I always praise them." Electric Bitters is a priceless blessing to women troubled with fainting and dizziness, backache, headache, weakness, debility, constipation or kidney disorders. Use them and gain health, strength and vigor. They are guaranteed to satisfy or money refunded. Only 50c at Helm & Co. son.

Rheumatic Pains quickly relieved

Sloan's Liniment is good for pain of any sort. It penetrates, without rubbing, through the muscular tissue right to the bone—relieves the congestion and gives permanent as well as temporary relief.

Here's Proof.

A. W. Lay of Lafayette, Ala., writes: "I had rheumatism for five years. I tried doctors and several different remedies but they did not help me. I obtained a bottle of Sloan's Liniment which did me so much good that I would not do without it for anything."

Thomas L. Rice of Easton, Pa., writes: "I have used Sloan's Liniment and find it first-class for rheumatic pains."

Mr. G. G. Jones of Baldwin, L. I., writes: "I have found Sloan's Liniment par excellence. I have used it for broken sinews above the knee cap caused by a fall, and to my great satisfaction I was able to resume my duties in less than three weeks after the accident."



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SLOAN'S LINIMENT

is an excellent remedy for sprains, bruises, sore throat, asthma. No rubbing necessary—you can apply with a brush.

At all dealers. Price, 25c., 50c. & \$1.00.
Sloan's Book on Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Poultry sent free. Address
Dr. EARL S. SLOAN, BOSTON, MASS.

*"Things Move Along so Rapidly
Now-a-days, That People Who Say:
'IT CAN'T BE DONE'*

*Are Always Being Interrupted
By Somebody Doing It."*

and that is why we have the best lines of Clothing, Shoes,
Underwear, Hats and Novelties. You have special in-
vitation to inspect them.

"Peck's Clothing" \$15.00 to \$25.00

Hawes' Hats, \$3.00

Eclipse Shoes, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00

Underwear 50c to \$4.00

BALTZER & DODDS D. G. CO.

—INCORPORATED—

DOUBLE WEDDING SUNDAY.

Rev. King Officiates at
Surprise Weddings.

What might be termed a double wedding, although not previously arranged, was consummated Sunday afternoon when two couples happened to call at the residence of Rev. King in West Hickman, for the same purpose and at the same time. Neither couple suspected that the other was there to have the nuptial knot tied. Rev. King seeing an opportunity to shorten his work "broke the ice" by telling them he would make one service do—and did.

The contracting parties were William Barnes and Miss Laura Brown, Earl Smith and Miss Ella Hushart. All are of Hickman except Miss Laura Brown, who hails from Charleston, Mo., but for the past few months had resided at Dorema.

Mr. Barnes is the son of Wm. F. Barnes, a well known Hickman citizen, and is a young man well thought of by all who know him. He has been out west for the past two years, returning home a few weeks ago. His bride is the daughter of Wm. Brown, of Dorema, and judging from what we can hear is a fine little lady. This couple will make their home near Dorema, where he expects to run a farm next year.

Mr. Smith, son of C. A. Smith, is well known to Hickman citizens, having resided here for many years, and needs no eulogizing. He is a quiet, unassuming fellow, and a money maker. His wife, formerly Miss Ella Hushart, was born and reared here. She is

a daughter of Mac Hushart, one of the finest gentlemen in the state. Mrs. Smith is a popular young lady and has a host of friends.

The Courier joins the friends of all parties in wishing them all happiness.

FARMERS' TELEPHONES.

A dollar a month does not go far enough after it gets into the telephone company's treasury to satisfy the manager who has to pay the upkeep and operating expenses on a big rural line system, and keep a little small change to hand over to stockholders once in six months. He has to cut too many corners, and run too many chances of getting caught short of a bank balance by a sleet storm, or a law suit.

Twelve dollars is too low for farmers' line service on the average system, with the quality and cost improved as it has been in the last few years. It is time to start after this rate. The farmers can afford to pay more—why should not they be induced to recognize value received?

Of course we know what the farmers do when it is proposed to raise the telephone rate. But can this go on forever? What is the best way to get this thing into better shape? Some have done it already.—Telephone. (The Independent Telephone Journal.)

The prettiest line of cut-glass you ever saw now on display in our window.—Hickman Hardware Co.

Saturday Night—The Lyric.

SHOOTING AFFRAY AT FULTON

Will Brown Shot Bud Grissom; Maybe Fatal.

Bud Grissom, of Fulton, was shot and seriously wounded Tuesday afternoon by Will Brown, a young man living near Ruthville.

The shooting took place in the Montgomery Cafe and according to witnesses was the result of an argument, which began that morning.

The bullets entered Grissom's body, one of them passing through the bladder and another through the hip, while a third one went through his left arm.

Immediately after the shooting Drs. Whitehead and Alexander were called and dressed the wounds which they pronounced of a serious nature.

Dr. Whitehead stated that the wounded man had but little chance to recover and that in his opinion he would die. He was taken to Paducah yesterday for an operation.

Boyd Montgomery, an eye witness to the affair, gave the following statement this afternoon as to the cause and events leading up to the shooting. He said:

"I was standing in the room where the affair took place and when Will Brown entered Bud Grissom, who was seated at the table arose and went over to where Brown was and slapped at Brown with his open hand, hitting his nose. He then cursed Brown and backed to the opposite wall and put his hand into his hip pocket as if to draw a gun. Brown thought he had a gun and was of the opinion that his life was in danger and he fired four shots. After the shooting Grissom walked out of the room and up the steps and lay down on a bed with no assistance."

Brown gave up and being arraigned before Judge Taylor gave bond in the sum of \$4,000 for his appearance at an examining trial to be held today.

President Taft will spend November 8 in Louisville. He will be in Frankfort November 9 and will go from there to Hodgenville to attend the Lincoln farm celebration, November 10. His last visit to Kentucky was when he was entertained at Hickman, Oct. 26, 1909.

A NEW BANK

We are reliably informed that Hickman is to have a new bank, which is to be opened up in the near future. This bank will have some novel and peculiar features which will make things lively about Hickman. More about it next week.

If you get a blue mark on your paper this week, it means you will not get another paper until you pay up.

Atty. N. Smith, of Fulton, and Atty. Webb, of Mayfield, were in town yesterday on legal business.

WHEELS WELL OILED Sheriff and County Judge Working Overtime.

Sheriff Johnson and Judge Naylor have been working overtime this week on criminal cases. The following have had their attention since Friday:

John Daniels, negro, was arrested, charged with breaking in a house on Ernest Johnson's bottom farm, and taking a new suit of clothes and Stetson hat. He admitted the crime and is in jail. He will no doubt take a trip to Eddyville in January.

Bud Sledge, white, breach of peace, acquitted. He was accused of whipping his wife. The couple live six miles south of Hickman.

Tom Gillum was arrested and accused of drawing a shot gun on Dick Marshall, on warrant sworn out by Marshall. Gillum in turn had a warrant sworn out for Dick Marshall and his hired hand, Lee Frazier, on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. The trial of the three men is set for next Monday.

Sheriff Johnson returned Saturday morning for Mobile, where he went to get T. L. Fox, who was indicted at the last term of court for robbing the American Express Co., at Fulton. He gave bond in the sum of \$500 and was released.

Ned Simpson and Pink Johnson were tried Monday for bootlegging. Johnson was fined \$107 and Simpson \$57, which they paid in cash. Sheriff Johnson arrested them Sunday night on the Dodds farm in the bottom. There must be money in bootlegging.

Bob Timmons was arrested by Sheriff Johnson, near Mabel.



I INSURED WITH KENNEDY.

W. A. Johnston this week purchased a 145 acre farm near Brownsville, Tenn., paying \$45 an acre.

There is some complaint of school children throwing paper on the streets around the college.

H. C. Barrett, funeral director and embalmer, with St. Louis Furnishing Co.

Jesse Rash, formerly of Oakton, died at Roswell, N. M., Tuesday.



LOOK OUT!

Cold
Weather

IS COMING

and you want to keep well if possible. To do this requires the services of the best doctor and best prescriptionist. Disease has all the advantages—no matter if you have the best physician in Hickman—if his prescriptions are improperly filled or if the drugs used have lost a part of their curative power. You need our kind of service to get the best results. Bring your prescriptions to the

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Books Some Good Shows.
More Good Ones to Follow.

Nov. 15, Finnegan's Honeymoon.

Dec. 29, Peck's Bad Boy.

Jan. 3, A Bachelor's Honeymoon.

Jan. 13, Thelma.

Jan. 15-16-17, The Yankee Doodle Stock Co.

Feb. 29, Human Hearts.

Mar. 19, The Girl and The Tramp.

Mar. 20, The Thief.

W. S. Doty is erecting a 2-story frame building house in West Hickman, on the corner opposite Virgil are doing the work.

Some of our local planters, who have ginned and held their cotton, are selling now, receiving 10¢ at Memphis.

Mrs. J. O. Ryan, of Union City, has been visiting her parents, S. W. Haynes and wife, since last Friday.

Mr. Otha Spillman, of Newport, Ark., is visiting his sister, Mrs. L. C. Lanford.

It is reported that Leonard Hardin received a serious stab in the hip Sunday night during a fight with Albert Williams, at Brownsville. Albert's younger brother is said to have slipped up during the encounter and stuck the knife in Hardin's leg. Medical aid was summoned and the wound dressed.

T. B. Hinshaw and daughter left Tuesday for Ravensden Springs, Ark., where they will make their home with J. D. Hepler. Mr. Hinshaw has resided in this section for the past 57 years.

Down the Mississippi valley they are singing it: "When Robinson, the birdman, southward flies." But late reports says he will not finish the flight, as enough money is not forthcoming.

STRAYED: Brown horse mule, 16 hands high. Got away last Wednesday morning. Return to W. A. Hinshaw. Reward. 2p

T. N. Fields was here from Fulton yesterday on business.

Capt. W. A. Shuck was here from Jordan yesterday.

Underwear Week

Heavy underwear for men, women and children. I have the best and biggest assortment of underwear to be seen in any state.

FOR MEN

Real Heavy Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, worth 50c, now 45c

The very best of Heavy Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, worth 60c, this week 50c

All Wool Shirts and Drawers, worth 1.50, this week 1.00

FOR WOMEN

Nice line of Vests and Pants, medium weight, worth 35c, this week 25c

Real heavy and medium weight Vests and Pants, this week 50c

Ladies' Union Suits 50c

Ladies' Union Suits 1.00

Ladies' Union Suits 1.25

All worth more.

For boys and girls I have the best line of Union Suits I have ever had. All sizes
Big lot of Union Suits, all sizes, worth 35c, this week 25c
Big line of heavy Union Suits for boys and girls, worth 75c, all sizes 50c
New arrival of Ladies Tailored Suits, Coats and Skirts, at reasonable prices, be sure to come and see these bargains.

My stock is complete in every department and we would be pleased to have you make this store your headquarters.

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NINE MEN KILLED.

Ten Brought up Injured, 15 In Pit In Danger of Burning.

Harrisburg, Ill., Oct. 24.—Nine men were killed, ten, severely wounded, were carried up by rescuer, and 15 more are imprisoned by a cave-in, as a result of the explosion of a keg of powder which ignited black damp gas in O'Gara mine No. 9, a mile south of here. As the gas is still burning it is feared that those imprisoned in the workings have been burned to death.

That more lives were not lost was because the shift was changing when the explosion occurred. A quarter of an hour later 500 men would have been in the shafts.

The explosion, although it occurred 400 feet down in the earth, was heard here. Miners gathered about the mouth of the mine in readiness to go to work at once took up the rescue, braving the deadly fumes of the explosion and the burning timbers.

Several men, protecting themselves with cloths over their noses and mouths, had themselves lowered into the pit and began sending up the dead and injured.

Two Instantly Killed.

Two men, it was found, had been instantly killed and were so burned and torn that they could not be identified. Seven others, sent to the surface, were so injured that they died within an hour, some at the mouth of the shaft, some in ambulances on the way to the only hospital in Harrisburg, and others in the hospital.

The detonation of the explosion warned the town that an accident had occurred, and the fears of the wives and children of the miners were confirmed when they saw two ambulances gallop toward the mine, followed in a few minutes by an automobile containing physicians and nurses.

Such pitiful scenes as accompanied the Cherry mine disaster ensued. Women and children rushed weeping and crying aloud toward the mine, calling the names of sons, husbands and fathers. About the mouth of the shaft the mine officials threw a cordon of employees, who stretched ropes to keep the frantic women back. Some of them, unless restrained, would have leaped into the mine.

Most of Men Are Americans.

Most of the miners employed by the O'Gara company are Americans, although there are also a number of Poles.

How the powder happened to explode is not known, but it is supposed that a spark was permitted to fall into the keg. The man responsible probably paid for his carelessness with his life.

All the latest magazines at Fethé & French's.



Warm Floors and Healthy Children Make Happy Homes

There is no better way for you to avoid worry and expense than by insuring your children's health.

Warm floors in the home, which is the children's play house in winter, are assured when using Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater.

The steel base and body construction allows the heat to be radiated to the floor keeping it warm during the coldest weather.

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Burns Soft Coal, Lignite, Hard Coal, Crushed Coke, Wood and Cobs.

Users of coal must remember that the ordinary heater is a big care to operate. That its smoke and ashes entail dusting, curtain washing and carpet sweeping. Think then of the ease of operation and the cleanliness of Cole's Hot Blast.

Cole's Hot Blast has a guaranteed smoke-proof feed door—open the feed door and the current of air draws the smoke directly across the top of stove to the stove pipe—away from the opening. Contrast this simple, cleanly feed with the side door in an ordinary heater. The side door used on other stoves permits escape of dirty smoke, unpleasant gas and accumulated soot drops from it. If you overfill a side door stove, coal falls to the floor. And note this, you cannot make a side door heater air-tight—an everlasting advantage in favor of Cole's Hot Blast which is air-tight and guaranteed to remain so always.

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Heard On the Streets

Saturday night at the Lyric.

Dr. Longnecker has been out of town on business this week.

Save from one to two dollars a thousand on your shingles by buying direct from mill.—C. M. Yates Shingl Co.

Meeting nights of Fulton Lodge, No. 83, I. O. O. F.—Thursday Sept. 14-28; Oct. 12-26; Nov. 9-23; Dec. 7-21.

Winter is almost here. Phone 195 and we will call for your winter clothing and put them in first class shape.—White Bros.

Rev. H. J. Gelger asks us to announce that for the remainder of the year evening services at the Episcopal church will begin a 7 o'clock instead of 7:30.

Next Wednesday the Halloween pranks will be abroad—Incidentally soaping the windows of a lot of business houses. It won't hurt some of them—the windows.

People with more time than occupation to fill it have computed that on November the eleventh we can write it "11-11-11," and that it won't happen again in a thousand years.

A bulletin posted at headquarters of the Illinois Central strikers at Paducah, stated that live stock is dying in the Paducah yards for want of attention and that freight traffic is badly congested. Further, it says that dead engines are reported daily and rolling stock is in very bad condition.

Rev. H. J. Gelger, rector of the St. Paul's Episcopal church of this city, is able to be down town again after a five week's siege of scarlet fever. Rev. Gelger was quarantined, of course, and during his second week's illness a fine boy arrived at his home. Although the youngster is three weeks old, his father has seen him only at a distance.

The following will be the services at the Christian church next Sunday. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., C. C. Smith, Supt. Sermon by Horace Silberell, pastor, at 11 a. m. Subject "The Highway to Holiness," and at 7 p. m., subject "Visions and Dreams." On Tuesday, October 7, Dr. James Vernon, will begin a series of meetings. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Hickman Baptist church, Sunday, Oct. 29, 1911. Sunday School at 10 a. m., preaching at 11 o'clock, evening services at 7 o'clock. We invite you to worship with us. Spurgeon Wingo, pastor.

SHOW GOOD RECORD.

The rural schools of Fulton county showing the best record of attendance as based on enrollment in the first month's report are as follows:

Roper 92 per cent.
Madeline 90 per cent.
Montgomery 90 per cent.
Rush Creek, 90 per cent.

These reports are a credit to the teachers, patrons and pupils of these sub-districts. Great effort is being made to keep all rural schools well graded that the pupils finishing the eighth grade may receive the common school diploma.

The sub-districts are endeavoring to secure the best teachers possible. Many are supplementing the state money and paying their teacher's salaries from \$65 to \$85 per month. Our rural school deserve the best.

"Fulton Weekly News" is the style of a paper which reached our desk Friday morning, published at Fulton, with the name of Jno. L. Smith at the mast head as editor and proprietor. The paper is a six column quarto, all home print, and is creditable in every respect. Editor Smith was formerly a citizen of this county, but lately of Eddyville, Ky. The News from the present is issued from the Baptist printing plant. It is right politically, and indications are that it will become a popular journal in its field. During the past six years we have seen so many newspapers "born and buried" at Fulton, but the Courier hopes the News will not meet a similar fate, but continue in its good work.

Editor Walker, of the Clinton Gazette, seems inclined to doubt our alfalfa story which he noticed in the Courier Journal, and its up to Al Paris to make good. The Gazette says: "The Courier Journal too has fallen into the very common error of locating Hickman town in Hickman county. The man who is credited with harvesting \$17,000 worth of alfalfa hay from 100 acre land was not a Hickman county farmer but a Hickman town farmer or agriculturist, and we know that Hickman correspondent to be a vivid imaginer. On Wolf Island in Hickman county we grow wonderful crops of alfalfa, but we doubt if the gross yield is \$175 an acre."

A meeting will begin at the West Hickman Baptist church Sunday night Oct. 29, conducted by Eld. Jesse Neel, of Marlin, Tenn. All are invited to take part in these services. W. L. Kling, pastor.

FOR SALE: Seven houses and lots whole bunch for \$3500; or places will be sold separate. All of these houses are occupied and paying good rent. This section of town is coming fast, and East Hickman property will be a good investment. Inquire at Courier office.

CAUGHT NAPPING?

Did the cold snap catch you unprepared? Well, don't put it off longer.

Suits and Overcoats

to order, in a comprehensive range of styles and colorings, a variety so big, so complete, that every one, no matter what one may desire, can be suited here.

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In all the standard makes and at right prices.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Fulton Circuit Court, Kentucky
Lovie Langford Plaintiff, against
H. Langford, et al, Defendant
et al.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Fulton Circuit Court rendered at the May term thereof, 1911 in the above cause, for the sum of Twenty One Hundred and no/100 (\$21.00) with interest at the rate of six per cent, per annum from the day of—1911—until paid, and herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in this county, Ky., to the highest bidder a PUBLIC AUCTION, on the 15th day of November 1911 at Ten (10) o'clock A. M., or thereafter at the County Court day, upon a credit of six months the following described property, to wit:

First tract, 80 acres of land some of the 50 acres this day deeded to Wilson Hornby, and north of the acres heretofore sold off of the east side of said quarter, said 80 acres being and lying in Fulton county, Kentucky, in the northeast corner of section 26, T. 1, R. 5, West, bounded on the north by a line agreed upon and established by W. Brown and Wilson Hornby and thence by estimate 80 acres more or less, see deed recorded in D. H. No. 10, page 530, except a part of the same sold to J. H. Langford said to be acres more or less, recorded in D. No. 16, page 40; also five acres more or less sold to Matt Fowler recorded in D. H. No. 22, page 10 this tract after making said deductions containing about 60 acres.

Second tract, lying on the east side of the Iyersburg road containing 25 acres more or less, bounded on the east by James Kemp's land, the south by A. J. Doyle's and J. H. Langford's land, and on the west and west by the Iyersburg road, being a part of the north-west quarter of sec. 29, T. 1, R. 5, West, see deed book 25, page 611, Fulton County records.

Third tract, the north one third of lots No's 131 and 132 as the same are known and shown upon the plan or chart of West Hickman, Ky. conveyed to H. D. Langford by W. A. Dodds, Sept. 24th, 1906, see deed book No. 27, page 352, Fulton County records.

On sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved security or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

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DR. HYDE AGAIN ON TRIAL

BIG CROWD GATHERS TO SEE REOPENING OF CASE.

Murder is Charge—Physician Is Alleged to Have Bought Swope Fortune by Poisoning Heirs.

Maumee City, Mo., Oct. 24.—Long before the hour set for the beginning of the trial a crowd filled the court room, where, for the second time, Dr. H. C. Hyde will be tried for the murder of his wife's uncle, Col. T. H. Swope, the aged millionaire philanthropist. In order to inherit the Swope fortune, Hyde is accused of having poisoned Colonel Swope and two other members of the family.

Dr. Hyde's first trial, which took place in the spring of 1910, resulted in his conviction and his sentence to life imprisonment. The case was appealed to the state supreme court and the decision was reversed April 11, 1911, and a new trial ordered. In handling down its decision the supreme court ruled out a number of vital points in the case, including the poison plot testified to by members of the Swope family. As a result the attorneys for the defense feel confident of a verdict of acquittal for their client.

Few criminal cases in the Southwest have furnished such sensations as the Hyde case, and none has developed such strange and unconvincing evidence. Coupled with these features were the prominence and wealth of the family and the strange methods adopted by the alleged murderer for disposing of his victims.

ELOPERS MAY BE INSANE

Bridegroom's Last \$2 Went for Wedding After Escaping Home for Peeble-Minded.

Chicago, Oct. 24.—Held in the Detention home for examination as to their sanity, a bride and bridegroom found asleep in a freight car by the police told of their start in matrimony on a capital of \$2. George Burch, the husband, is 30 years old. His wife, Nabel, is 28.

Burch said that he and his bride had not tasted food for more than two days.

The police say Burch told them he and his wife escaped from the home for the feeble-minded, at Harland, Mich., several days ago.

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Cole's Hot Water Heater maintains a continuous fire, also a steady, even heat. It will hold fire from Saturday night until Monday morning (48 hours). It will hold fire over night with less coal than any other stove. When the draft is in the morning and the rooms are quickly heated with the coal put in the night before. Come in and examine Cole's Original Hot Water Heater. Price \$12.00 and up, according to size. (B-11)

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NEW BOAT LINE.

A special from Caruthersville, Mo., speaking of the new boat line which began operation Friday between Hickman and that city says:

The handsome little steamer Winona, formerly in the Davenport, Iowa, trade, arrived here yesterday evening in charge of her new owners, Cap. Oscar Tinsley and J. E. Mond. She departed this morning for Hickman, Ky., and will continue every other day trips throughout the season between that place and Caruthersville. The Winona is a staunch craft, 150 feet in length, with commodious cabin, being built for the rapid currents of the upper Mississippi.

There being a large oil mill here, also a grain elevator, the Winona is expected to handle considerable cotton and corn for the local trade. There also being several wholesale concerns here, she will likely handle quite a lot of sundries in that line.

Capt. Oscar Tinsley will be in charge, Capt. J. E. Mond, Sr., will be at the wheel, Jop. Mond will have charge of the office, and Ben Styles will be engineer.

WHITE MAN DEAD, 2 HURT

Victim of Mob First Was Strung to Water Tank, but Cut Down—Race War Seems to Be Inevitable.

Coweta, Okla., Oct. 24.—This town is under martial rule, following a race war in which one white man was killed, two wounded so seriously they may die, and a negro shot to death by a mob after he had been strung to a water tank, cut down before he died, and locked in a vacant building for safe keeping.

Company F, Oklahoma National Guard, at Muskogee, 20 miles southeast of here, reached here on a special train.

The white man slain was City Attorney J. D. Beavers. He was shot by Ed Suddeth, a negro, who also wounded Carmen Oliver and Steller Thompson, white men.

After Suddeth, who had been wounded, was cut down from the water tank, to which he had been strung by a mob, he was locked in a vacant building, and Deputy Sheriff Flowers attempted to take him to an automobile in readiness to convey the slayer to Wagoner for safe keeping. The mob opened fire and the negro fell. Probably fifty bullets entered his body.

Negroes Start for Town.

Large numbers of enraged negroes started for Coweta from the surrounding country, and a race war seems inevitable.

The white men of the town patrolled the streets and guarded their homes as best they could until the militia arrived.

Oliver was taken to Muskogee on a passenger train and placed in the hospital. He was shot through the abdomen.

The trouble started when a telegraph operator named Swazer was walking with a young woman, and Ed Huse, a negro, in passing, pushed the girl from the sidewalk into the mud. Swazer struck the negro, and another white man, whose name is being kept secret, seized Huse, and Swazer beat him with his fists.

Huse then began walking the streets with a long knife in his pocket, seeking the man who held him. City Marshal Hart ordered the negro to give up the knife and Huse shot at him.

At that instant Ed Suddeth ran out of a house across the street and opened fire, instantly killing City Attorney Beavers and wounding Oliver and Thompson, all of whom were passing at the time and had taken no part in the trouble.

Timber Land Owner Is Dead.

Portland, Mo., Oct. 24.—William M. Brown, one of the largest timber land owners and pulp manufacturers in the country, is dead; his home here. He was 90 years old.

HAIR HEALTH.

Take Advantage of This Generous Offer.

Your money back upon request at our store if Rexall "3X" Hair Tonic doesn't do as we claim. That's our guarantee. You obligate yourself to nothing whatever. Could you ask or could we give you stronger proof of our confidence in the hair restoring qualities of this preparation?

We could not afford to so strongly endorse Rexall "3X" Hair Tonic and continue to sell it as we do, if it did not do all we claim it will. Should our enthusiasm have carried us away, and Rexall "3X" Hair Tonic not give entire satisfaction to the users, they would lose faith in us and our state merits, and in consequence our business prestige would suffer.

We assure you that if your hair is beginning to unnaturally fall out or if you have any scalp trouble, Rexall "3X" Hair Tonic will promptly eradicate dandruff, stimulate hair growth and prevent premature baldness, or the above guarantee becomes operative. Two sizes, 30c. and \$1.00. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Hickman Drug Co.

KILLED AT CAIRO.

Word was received here Friday morning of the death of Will Nimo, formerly of Hickman. He met his death by falling from a boat, at Cairo, into the Ohio river. The body was recovered a few hours later. Nimo had been living in Cairo for several months past.

The proprietor of a gent's furnishing store on Clinton street wrote a small ad and sent it to a neighboring town for publication. He expected to get about the same rate that the Courier charges, but when the bill came the rate was slightly over double what we charge, although the other paper's circulation is not as large. We mention this merely to show that our rates are too low, if anything, but we propose to hold 'em down as long as we can.

Have large supply of paper white Nardusens, Chinese Sacred Bibles, and Hyacinth bulbs on hand. All large, fine bulbs.—Miss Frankie Reid.

Louise Coal, all grades, from \$2.50 up. Phone 185.

WEST BUYS STABLE.

J. O. West has purchased the stock and vehicles of J. P. Leggate's stable, west of laundry, and is now in the livery and transfer business with both feet. The building will remain the property of Mr. Leggate, however, and will be leased to the new proprietor at \$30 a month.

Mr. West recently went into the transfer business here, putting in a bus line between the railroad depots. He is a hustler and should do well.

Our friend Price says he will rest up a bit, and possibly make up his mind before crop time to go on the farm.

The revival at the First Methodist church closed Monday night. Rev. Weber, of Jackson, Tenn., did the preaching, and better sermons are rarely heard. The meeting was well attended, and did much good for the community, although there were no additions.

Our famous Granger coffee, at 25c, is still the talk of the town. Better than lots of 25c coffees. Phone 38. Battersworth & Prather.

ELECTION DRAWS NEAR.

Kentucky politics are getting warmer and even Republicans are on the verge of conceding the election of McCrenry by a handsome majority, as well as the rest of the Democratic ticket. As the conflict wages warmer one man stands out as the champion of the plain people and is doing more for the ticket than any other Democrat. That warhorse of Democracy is Ollie James, who is certain to be elected United States Senator—and we couldn't elect a better one.

Only Monday at Murray he spoke to an audience of 3000 people—a record breaking crowd—and in a scintillating speech denounced Perry Melean, candidate for the legislature and O. J. Jennings, editor of the Murray Ledger, and candidate for the State Senate. These men were Democrats and James denounced them as having sold out to the Republicans. James' rousing speech, in the opinion of leaders in Calloway county, has put an end to Republicanism in that county.

Fulton county, as usual, will be Democratic, but every Democrat

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"Hayler's Candy"

For sale at

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Election Nov. 7th.

Stoves are going up—so is coal.

Mack Russell was in Memphis a few days last week.

There was a light frost in this section Tuesday morning.

Dan Higgs left Saturday for Dumas, Ark., and St. Louis.

FOR SALE—Saw mill outfit complete at a bargain. Cayce Milling Co.

Regular services at the Presbyterian Church Sunday.—Wm. G. Stockton, Minister.

Mrs. Harry Ellison is home from Louisville, where she has spent the past six weeks for medical treatment.

Phone 185 and for a trial order of our fuelless cooking coal. No slack; no big lumps. Prepared especially for kitchen use.—A. A. Faris.

Rev. Jones preached his farewell sermon at Beech Grove last Sunday. The congregation hopes that he will be returned to that charge by the next conference.

Raymond Barnett, son of W. I. Barnett, and Miss Pearl Forgery, daughter of Lee Forgery, two well known young people of the Beech Grove neighborhood, were united in marriage on the 15th by Esq. Hruer.

W. A. Hinshaw purchased Monday from Referee Remley the franchise for operating a ferry between Dorena and Hickman, paying \$62.50. This franchise embodies the exclusive right to use a certain landing on the Kentucky shore, covering 400 yards.

A Nashville coon, a real "chocolate drop" has the distinction of being the first female to appear on the streets of Hickman wearing a harem skirt—the skirt which looks like a cousin to a pair of baggy pants. There was a general "facing about" and an aftermath of rubber-necking and giggling when this stylish clad coon swept down the street Monday in her selseor garment. As for us, we prefer the old fashion skirts, even if it must be lifted to a certain fascinating degree to clear the muddy street crossings.

The cool weather is evidently making Cupid get busy. The following couples were married at Fulton Sunday: J. K. Williams and Miss Rollie Wray, of near Boaz Chapel; J. B. Davis and Miss Covle Vaughn, of Beeleron; Wade Brown and Miss Edith Hicks, of near Crutchfield; Anna Lamm and Miss Margaret Webb, of Lower; Lon Green and Miss Anna Stallings, of Williamson's Bridge; W. H. Cagle and Miss Nellie Ledford, of Paducah. On Monday James P. Hoffman and Miss Lillie Hall, of Winter Valley.

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Hardware, Glassware and Tinware

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J. A. Crozier, of Maumee City, was here Saturday on business.

H. C. Barrett, funeral director and embalmer, with St. Louis Furnishing Co.

Mrs. Bigger Hall and little daughter, of Dorena, were here Saturday shopping.

Mrs. J. M. Reid has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Bettle Gardner, near Fulton.

Miss Homer Green returned Saturday from Memphis where she has been visiting relatives for the past month.

At the regular election, Nov. 7th, the voters of the county will be given a chance to say whether or not they want stock to run at large within this county. It is a question that is of vital interest to the farmers; some will want it, some will not, and both sides will have sound reasons behind their arguments. The Courier is not interested in the matter one way or other, but merely call attention to it so that those who are interested will not overlook the question. They are to decide the matter by their ballots on Nov. 7.

Rufus Williams spent Sunday in Mayfield.

Owen Bondurant, of Jordan, was here Sunday.

Margaret Flour, none better.—Battersworth & Prather.

T. M. Reynolds, wife and baby went to Union City Sunday.

Terrell Sullivan spent Sunday with homefolks in Mayfield.

J. L. Hillingsworth, of Columbus, Ky., was here Saturday on business.

Mrs. Fope Herring, of Union City, and daughter, Mrs. Will Hubbard, are the guests of Mrs. T. T. Swayne.

Mrs. W. I. Price and daughter returned to Maucsville, La., last week after an extended visit to her parents Dr. Wright and wife.

The water is so low on Reelfoot Lake that it is almost impossible to get a boat out on open water at Walnut Log now. Even an empty Joe-boat cannot pass out through the channel, and fishermen are compelled to wear rubber boots to wade the mud and drag their boats a distance of 50 yards or more.

should commence working right now to get out the strongest vote possible. Remember that the First District is looked upon to help out in the other end of the state.

Tuesday, Nov. 7, is election day. Commence working right now and don't stop until the polls close.

John Hagan was at home Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. L. P. Baltzer went to Paducah Sunday to attend State Medical Association.

A satisfied customer is our best advertisement. We can satisfy you.—White Bros., Phone 195.

Mrses Hazel and Alex Adams are home from Chicago, where the latter has been under the care of a physician for several months. She will leave in a short time for New Mexico.

Mrs. Carl Schmidt entertained a few friends at a five course six o'clock dinner Friday evening, the event being in honor of the hostess' twentieth birthday. It is needless to say the evening was thoroughly enjoyed by those present.



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Fire departments are necessary and save much property, but they cannot be relied upon always. Although they may put out the fire, water may do as much damage as the fire. Fire insurance protects you against the loss by fire as well as the loss by water damage. A fire insurance policy in a reliable company with a reputation for fair dealing and promptness is your best protection. We represent only such companies.

H. C. HELM, Agent

REAL ESTATE
Deeds Recorded with County Clerk During Past Week.

C. A. Wilson to Ella H. Keith, lot in Henry addition, \$30 and other consideration.

T. B. Hinshaw to B. F. Gabby, lots West Hickman, \$400.

J. E. Fields to C. G. Fields, 60 acres land, \$7500.

Lou A. Reed to Fulton County Fair Ass'n., 35 acre land, \$6107.50.

W. E. Matlock, who was a candidate in our last county campaign and resides near Crutchfield, has sold his farm to a Graves county man for \$87.50 an acre, and will go into the real estate business at Fulton or Paducah. Will is a fine fellow and we hope he will not decide to leave Fulton county.

Don't fail to see the Hickman Hardware Company's display of cut glass.

VITAL STATISTICS.
Births and Deaths Reported to Registrar During Past week.

Deaths.

Elizabeth Gilbert, colored, age 10 months, Oct. 17.

Cleley Evans, age 35, Meningitis, Oct. 18.

Cloyas Lee Smith, colored, age 10 years, typhoid fever, Oct. 19.

Will Osborne and Miss Mattie Calvin were married Oct. 21. Both are well known in West Hickman.

A. E. Owens went to McKenzie, Tenn., yesterday, to attend the wedding of his sister, Miss Una Owens. She was married to Rev. Burgess Cunningham, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Union City.

If you have a Victor
be sure to get a copy of the new Victor monthly bulletin which tells about the newest music.

Stop in and get a copy, or drop us a postal and we'll gladly send it.

If you haven't a Victor

you'll find the Victor bulletin interesting anyhow. So send for a copy. Better still—stop in and get it, and hear some of the music itself.



Ellison Bros.

QUARTERLY COURT
Judge Naylor Disposes Of Big Docket Monday.

J. W. Ward vs J. T. Seat. Judgment for plaintiff for \$30. Seat was security on a note given by T. F. Benton.

O. L. Singleton vs Jhu Vincent Dismissed without prejudice.

W. H. Higgins vs W. A. Hinshaw Set for trial today.

Helm & Ellison vs R. H. Kirk. Dismissed settled.

Ersey Ward vs W. S. Ellison. Suit for wagon. Judgment for defendant.

E. P. Wright vs C. H. Smith and J. D. Leech. Suit on account. Judgment for plaintiff for \$19.85.

J. T. Seat vs Fink Clark. Suit to recover execution that plaintiff had paid for defendant while the former was sheriff. Judgment for plaintiff for \$120.43.

Helm & Ellison vs Rufus Fields. Suit on account. Judgment for plaintiff for \$4.45.

H. E. Thompson vs Harry Moore. Attachment sustained. Judgment for plaintiff for \$3.50.

Orro Mfg. Co. vs Virgil Roberts. Suit on account. Judgment for plaintiff for \$40.

Mason Williams vs Will Hendricks. Attachment sustained. Judgment for plaintiff for \$8.50.

Horace McGhee vs Mose Barkett. Suit for hauling freight. Judgment for plaintiff for \$8.35.

W. T. Sudberry vs Hardy Freeman. Suit on account. Judgment for plaintiff for \$5.85.

J. T. Johnson vs J. W. Wyatt. Attachment on account. Judgment for plaintiff for \$28.92.

J. T. Smithwick vs Clean Ray. Suit on account. Judgment for plaintiff for \$14.50.

Seat & Carpenter sued on the following for accounts and obtained judgment: Lynch Brown, Lon Love, Walter Carr, Bill Macklin, Joe Brevard, A. B. Allen, Ben Neering.

GOOD RECOMMENDATION.

Hickman, Ky., Oct. 4, 1911.

I, Mrs. Minnie Williams, widow of Lon Williams, deceased, who died September 21st, 1911, do hereby certify that my husband, the aforesaid Lon Williams, took a policy with the National Life Association of Des Moines, Iowa, on May 17th, 1911, through your representative, McL. Delaney, Number 22326, and that on September 30th, 1911, I made proof of my husband's death and turned same over to McL. Delaney, your agent, and that I have this day received payment in full through the above mentioned agent, at their depository, The Hickman Bank & Trust Co., of Hickman, Ky., and I want to thank the above mentioned National Life Association and its representatives for their prompt and kind attention.

Signed MRS. MINNIE WILLIAMS.

Jno. R. Walsh, former Chicago banker, who had all that heart could wish in the matter of this world's goods but in his eagerness to have more violated the laws of the land, died Tuesday after serving two years in the federal penitentiary. He had been released only ten days ago. The confinement broke him down in mind and body. He failed to appreciate the old truth—what doth it profit a man to gain the whole world and lose his own soul? His life was a dismal failure.

The local fire department was called into action Tuesday morning to extinguish a blaze in the residence of "Uncle" Frank Thompson, one of our best negro citizens. The fire started on the second floor over the kitchen, probably the result of a defective flue. After burning a big hole in the roof the fire was put out. A part of the house was rented to a negro named Baugard. His furniture was damaged by being thrown out.

The Democrats of Dyer county have endorsed Judge Jos. E. Jones for Governor of Tennessee. The election will be held next year. Jones was the presiding judge in the night rider trials at Union City two years ago.

W. E. Allen and E. A. Hammond are in St. Louis this week purchasing new goods for their furniture store, which will be opened shortly in the building formerly occupied by Smith repair shop.

J. H. Russell has accepted a position in the Farmers & Merchants Bank, and will help them through the busy season.

Rev. H. G. Ryan, of Martin, left Wednesday after a visit with his brother, Mr. Ryan of the O. K. barbershop.

Miss Erlene Reed, of Fulton, was the guest of Miss Mayme Naylor last week.

J. O. Ryan, of Union City, was here yesterday.

DID YOU PROMISE TO PAY THIS FALL?

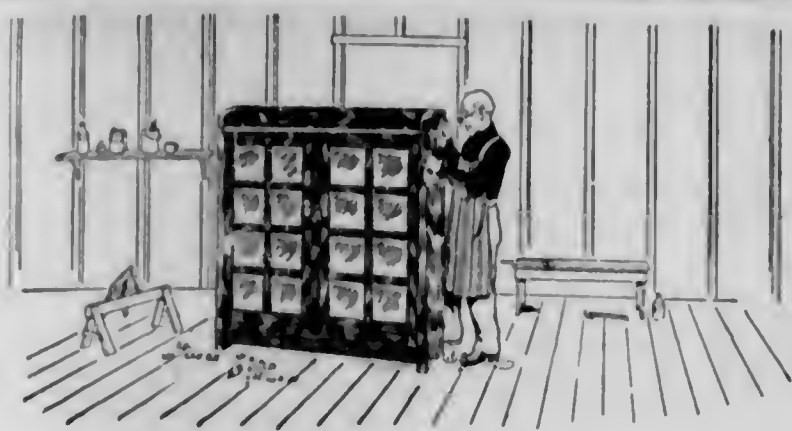
When we extended you credit last Spring did you say you would settle when you got out your crop?

We borrowed money so that we could accommodate you. It is now time for ALL of us to make settlements. If you owe us please make arrangements to pay.

You can see our position, and we hope you will give this matter your prompt attention.

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R. R. ROGERS, Veterinarian
HICKMAN, KY.

STEAM AND WATER FOR HEAT

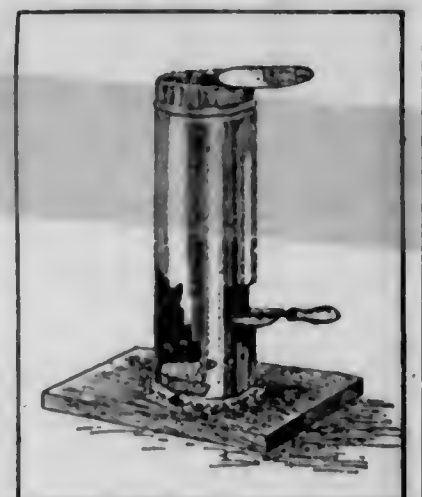
Indications Are That Some Method Will Be Developed to Discontinue Use of Radiators.

The main objection to the use of steam and water for heating in the use of the radiators, the appearance of which must necessarily occupy the most conspicuous place in the room. The indications are that this will be met at no distant date and some method developed which will dispense with the use of radiators. The Romans heated their villas by a system of double walls and floors, between which the heat found its way and the apartments were maintained at a comfortable temperature. An attempt to heat a house by an entirely new method will be made in the Cosmopolitan club house, now being erected at Cornell university. Steam pipes are laid in chases left in the upper surface of the floor around the edge of the room. After the pipe is laid the opening was filled with a weak concrete and covered with a decorated tile. Heat rises and the efficiency of heating the room by radiation from the floor is evident. Cold concrete floors have been held up as a bagaboo, and the method suggested eliminates this drawback.

HOME-MADE TINNER'S STOVE

Large End of Piece of Ordinary Stovepipe Can Be Used—Metal Lid Controls the Draft.

The large end of a 5 or 6 inch ordinary stovepipe is cut so as to form three-cornered notches about 1 inch deep. The remaining parts of the metal are turned out and nailed to a board as shown in the illustration. The bottom part is filled with a 3-



Charcoal Soldering Iron Heater.

inch layer of clay and a few 1/4 inch holes made in the metal just above the clay for the draft. Three sides of a rectangular piece, 2 inches wide and 3 inches long, are cut in the pipe and the metal within turned down. This forms the door and hearth for the soldering iron. A circular piece of metal laid over the top controls the draft.

TOTAL QUANTITY OF CEMENT

Total Production in United States in 1909 was 64,196,386 Barrels, a Big Increase.

The total quantity of Portland, natural and Puzzolan cements produced in the United States during 1909 was 64,196,386 barrels, valued at \$51,232,979, an increase over 1908 of 21 per cent. in quantity and 15 per cent. in value. The Puzzolan cement is made by mixing blast furnace slag with slaked lime, but its output decreased from 557,252 barrels in 1907 to 160,646 barrels in 1909. One of the newer developments in cement manufacture, says a late bulletin of the geological survey, is the production of white non-staining Portland cement. This supplies a growing demand for ornamental work and surface finish.

INDUSTRIAL AND MECHANICAL NOTES

American coal production in 1910 was nearly 490,000,000 tons.

Pressed sheets of aluminum are used for wall covering in place of paper.

Matches have not yet displaced the tinderbox in certain rural districts of Spain and Italy.

The city of Paris owns a machine which can grind out nearly a quarter of a million wooden paving blocks a day.

The asphalt deposits of Cuba, when developed, are expected to prove superior to all others throughout the world.

The collection of dust from vacuum cleaners and selling it for fertilizer has become a recognized business in Paris.

Sumatra is famous the world over for its cigar wrappers, and tobacco plantations have spread to neighboring isles.

The aluminum of this country from a production of 83 pounds in 1883, its consumption of 1910 amounted to 34,210,000 pounds.

The new metal known as Liege metal is said to be 40 per cent. lighter than aluminum, which makes it particularly useful for airships.

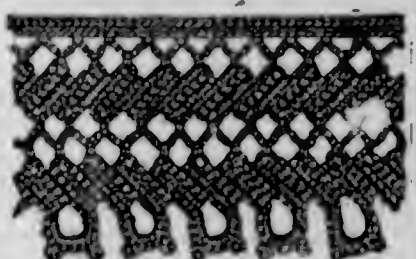
Tests made by a French railroad of a device for heating water before it reaches the boiler by exhaust steam showed a fuel economy of more than 12 per cent.

TO MAKE IN CROCHET

DIRECTIONS FOR WORKING OF EFFECTIVE TRIMMING.

Lover of This Form of Ornamentation Will Be Quick to Recognize Its Worth and to Copy It.

Work 7 chain stitches, turn, pass 1, a double crochet in each of the other 6, turn with 1 chain, * 6 double crochets, 9 chain into the end stitch of the previous row, turn and work under the chain loop, 3 double crochets, then a picot (4 chain back to the first), 3 more double crochets, another picot, 3 more double crochets;



all these 9 double crochets should be under 7 of the 9 chain, then a double crochet into each of the other two and 1 into each of the next 4 stitches, leaving the last two unworked, turn with 1 chain 6 double crochets, turn, 3 chain, pass one, a double crochet in each of the other 2 chain and 1 on each of the next 4 stitches, turn with 1 chain and repeat from * for length of lace required.

Second strip: Seven chain, turn, pass one, a double crochet in each of the other 6, turn with 1 chain, * 6 double crochets, 3 chain, turn, pass one, a double crochet on each of the other 2 chain and 1 on each of the next 4 stitches, leaving the remaining 2 unworked, turn with 1 chain, and repeat from * until the second strip is of the same length as the first.

These two strips are connected by catching 3 chain across from point to point, first placing the strips so that the ribs or rows slant in opposing directions.

See illustration.

On the top of the second strip work 7 chain from point to point, and upon this row work 3 chain from the middle of one loop to the middle of the next one, and finishing with a double crochet in each chain stitch of last row.

TREATMENT OF DARK ROOM

White Paint and Enamel, With a Sunny Wall Paper, Will Do Wonders With It.

In nearly every city house there is always sure to be one dark and gloomy room. It casts its depressing upon all who enter it and yet one is often at a loss as to what should be done to dissipate the lugubrious effect.

It should be dealt with ruthlessly. White paint and enamel should be used with a generous hand. Dark woodwork should not be tolerated and dull or gloomy paper should be avoided. Hang the room in a paper of sunny yellow hue, put up only curtains of thin net and decorate your walls with pictures framed in white and gold and silver gray frames.

Many mirrors, if possible, should be used, for they aid wonderfully in brightening a dark room, but they must not be hung too high, as they will only reflect the ceiling, while they should catch the cheerful flame of an open fire, where there is one, and repeat its gleam.

No one thing is more successful in destroying the depressing atmosphere of a room than an inside window box. This box can be made attractive by a thin covering of brass or copper that will add to the brightness of the room, and the plants should be chosen with an eye to their color.

When the furniture in your dark and depressing room has been covered with a gay cretonne, and magazines, books and papers have been strewn about this room, which previously filled every one with aversion and discomfort, then will it become the favorite resort of the family.

Waist Measure at Present.

According to feminine statistics, the waist measure is more normal at the present day than any time since woman began to wear corsets. When one quotes a waist measure of 26 or even 28 inches the lissome corsetiere no longer raises her brow in that cultivated sort of covert dismay that she was once prone to assume and when the general improvement in the health and comfort of the "weaker" sex is taken into consideration it is to be wondered at that the attellers of the Paris drapers did not sooner come to the conclusion that the women of today do not want 13-inch Catherine de Medici suicidal waists.

Changeable Slips.

The sheer dresses of this season are useful, because by changing the slip underneath one has practically a new dress. These slips come in soft, clinging satin of various light shades, such as blue, pink, yellow, mauve and rose pink. They are beautifully made. The neck and sleeves are edged with lace and have wide satin flounces. They cost \$3.50. A number of linen gowns and coats have been reduced—the coats to \$3.95, the gowns, in one place and machine scalloped, to \$7.50, \$12.50 and \$17.50.



SAMUEL ADAMS, Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

All you who have torpid liver, weak digestion or constipated bowels look out for chills. The season is here and the air is full of the disease germs. The thing to do is to get your liver in good condition and purify the stomach and bowels. HEIBINE is the right remedy, it answers the purpose completely. Price 50c. Sold by the Hickman drug Co.

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For the Composing Room

in a printing house electric light is the best, and for factories or shops turning out typewriters, clocks, watches, parts for bigger machines, it will aid in getting better and more work. Whatever your lighting or other electrical necessities further your own financial interests by consulting us. Our diagnosis and prescribing will help you a whole lot.

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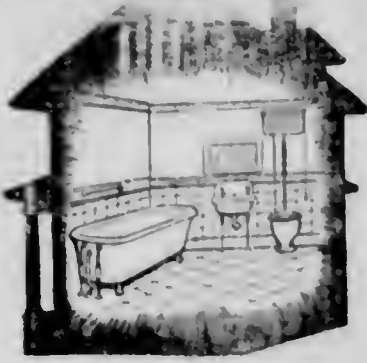
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\$500 REWARD for one large sorrel horse, white hind feet, saddle and bridle on. The animal lost his rider trying to follow a drove of horses to Gray's shop to be shod. Get your mower blades ground for 25c.

When the chest feels on fire and the throat burns, you have indigestion you need HEIBINE to get rid of the badly digested food, strengthens the stomach and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

Where Cleanliness Abides



the doctor comes seldom. The modern bathroom converts the task of bathing into a luxurious pleasure. It makes cleanliness a delight instead of a duty. Let us figure on converting your old style unsanitary bathroom into an attractive, wholesome lavatory. It will not cost so much as you imagine and you will save it many times.

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The Courier's Weekly Sermon
BY PASTOR RUSSELL

GOD'S LONGER DAYS A THOUSAND YEARS

Mankind's History the Workday of Great Week.

The Length and Value of Time Viewed From the Divine Versus the Human Standpoint—Pastor Russell Still Abroad.

"A thousand years in Thy sight are but as yesterday."—"A day with the Lord is as a thousand years."—Psalm xc. 4; II Peter III. 8.



LONDON TADEN-
SACRE, LAUCHSTER
Date W. Oct. 22.
—Pastor Russell
spoke here twice
today to large
audiences. We
report one of the
discourses which
treated on the
difference be-
tween human
and Divine
standards of
measurement.

BEST Ky. Lump Coal DELIVERED 4.50 A Ton

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STEVE STAHR
BOTH PHONES

prediction of the Divine character, the principles of righteousness, etc. Their lessons in respect to evil they are gaining by observation instead of by experience the way recommended to our first parents by the Creator, but in their ignorance rejected.

But God foreknew the course which His human children would take under the influence of temptation; He foreknew that they would fall into sin and therefore would experience its penalty, sorrow, pain and death. While His eye has pitied His poor creatures for six thousand years, nevertheless He has allowed His great original Plan of the Ages to move along slowly to a grand climax, the Plan which He purposed in Himself from before the foundation of the world.

God Has Not Neglected Us

From this Divine viewpoint God is not slack concerning His promises. Only six days of the week have yet passed. The glorious Seventh Day in which the great Mediator between God and men will assume His Kingdom powers is just at hand. Instead of thinking that God is neglecting and forgetting to fulfill the Messianic promises, we should with the eyes of faith realize that He is working all things according to the counsel of His own will. We should consider the matter from the cosmic standpoint that God has experienced great patience with humanity in not turning out the race, He has been a long suffering. And this assures us that the Exchangeable One would prefer that none of His creatures should perish but rather turn into Him and live—II Peter III. 9; Ezekiel xxxv. 11.

The great opportunity for the masses of our race to turn to the Lord and receive everlasting life will be after he has passed, when the Son of Righteousness shall be shining forth after the highway of holiness shall have taken the place of the broad road to destruction; after Messiah, the great King, shall have triumphed Satan, the Prince of darkness, from the world's control; after the Prince of Peace shall have established peace upon a proper basis.

HELP THE KIDNEYS

Hickman Readers are Learning the Way.

It's the little kidney ills—
The lame, weak or aching back—
The unnoticed urinary disorders—
That leads to dropsy and Bright's disease.

When the kidneys are sick,
Help them with Doan's Kidney Pills
A remedy especially for sick kidneys.

Doan's have been curing kidney troubles for 75 years.
Endorsed by 50,000 people—endorsed at home.

Proof in a Hickman citizen's statement.

J. R. Weatherly, Third & Ivy Sts., Hickman, Ky., says: "For some time I was afflicted with a most annoying case of kidney complaint. The kidney secretions were far too frequent in passage and I had to get up some nights as often as seven times. In the morning I felt tired and little like doing the day's work. I tried a number of remedies and doctors, but to no avail. Finally Doan's Kidney Pills came to my notice and getting a supply at Helm & Ellison's Drug store I began taking them. The contents of three boxes restored my kidneys to a normal condition and improved my health."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Who is your clothes doctor? No better place than White Bros. We know our business, do our work well and guarantee satisfaction. What more do you want.

There's some class to Betterworth & Prather's 25c Granger coffee. Have you tried it?

A valuable dressing for flesh wound burns, scalds, old sores, rash, chafed skin, is BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It is both healing and antiseptic. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

BEST GROCERIES

Phone 4 C. H. Moore

LOOKOUT

Cold weather is coming and if you want the best results get your stock shod and their feet will grow out and keep the cold mud from making sore and tender feet.

R. L. GRAY'S SHOE

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